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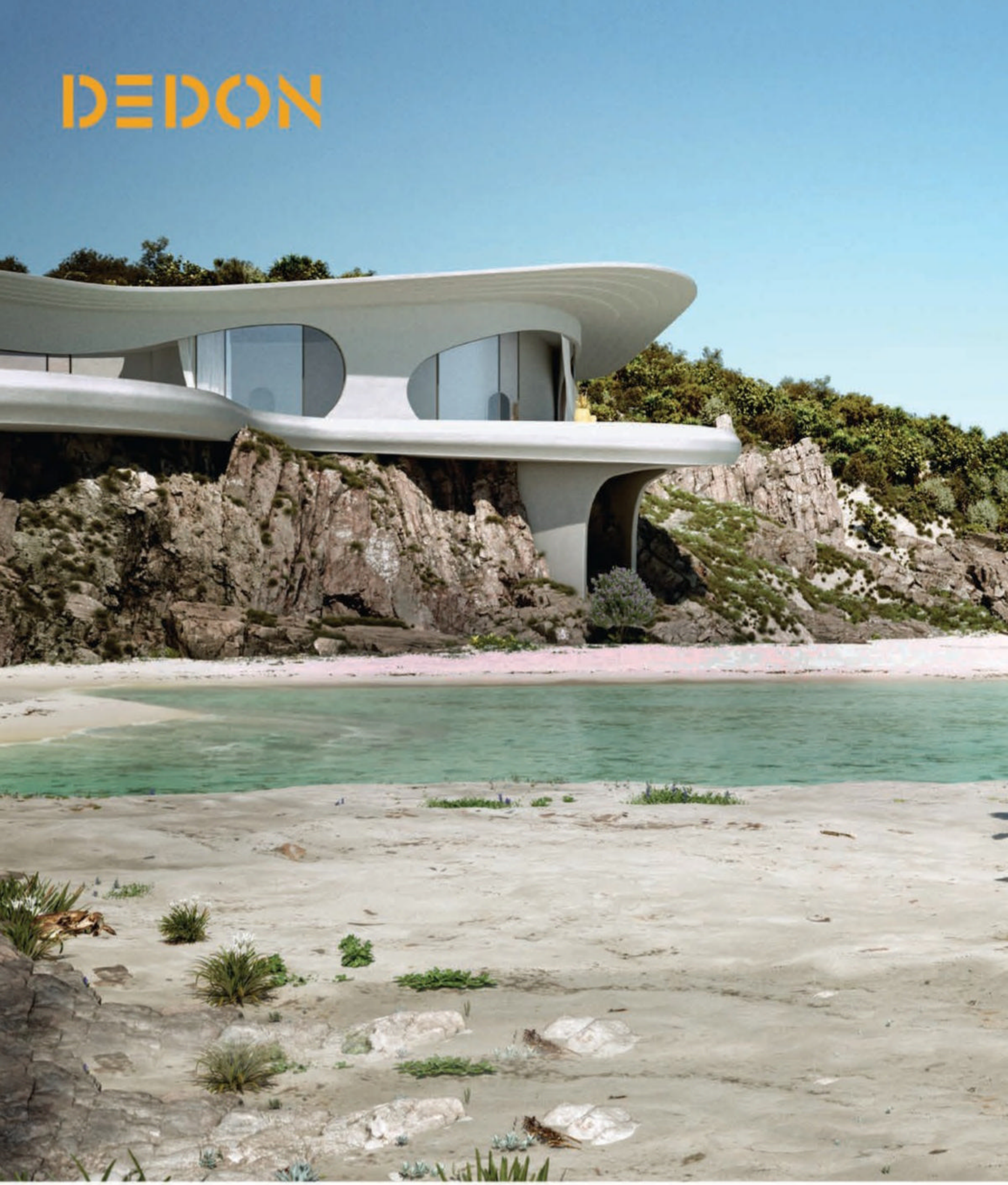

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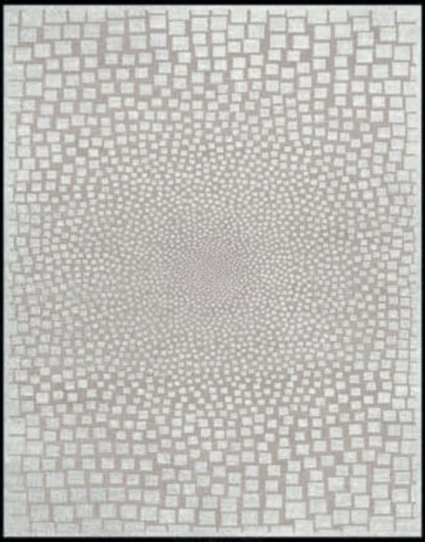
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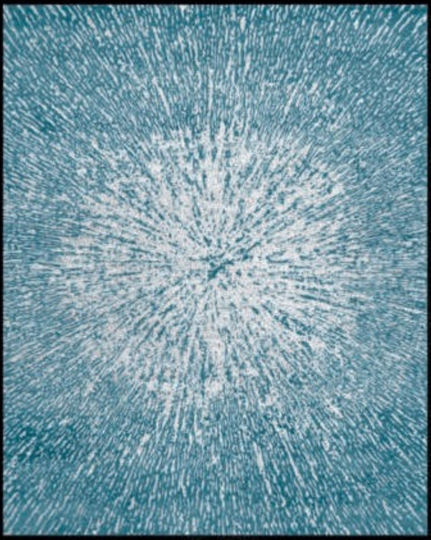
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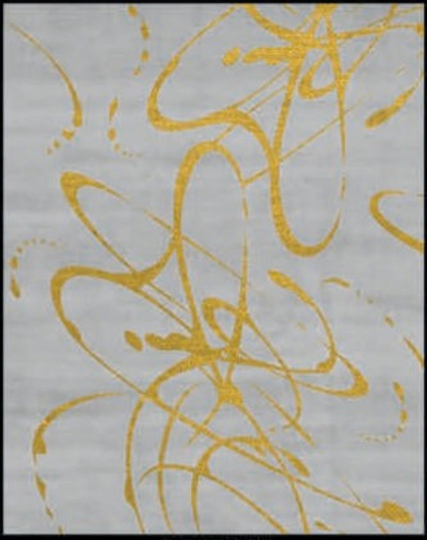
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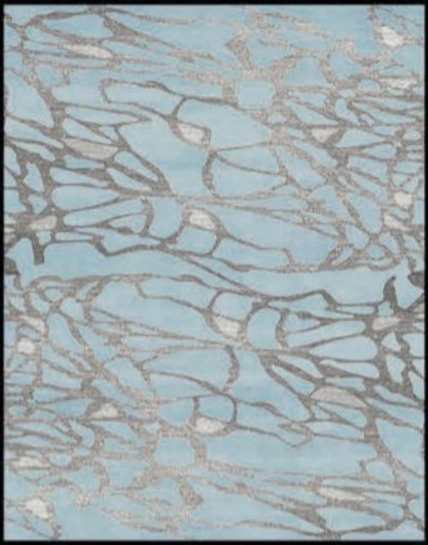
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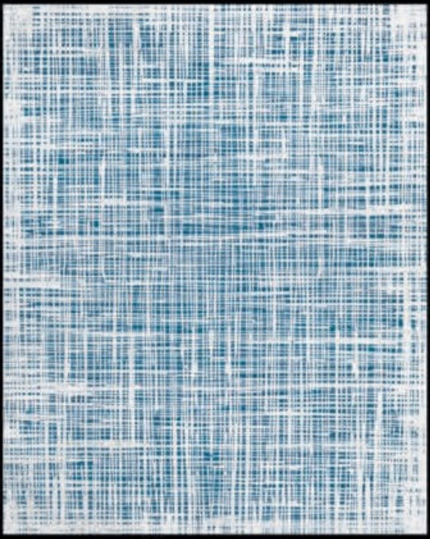

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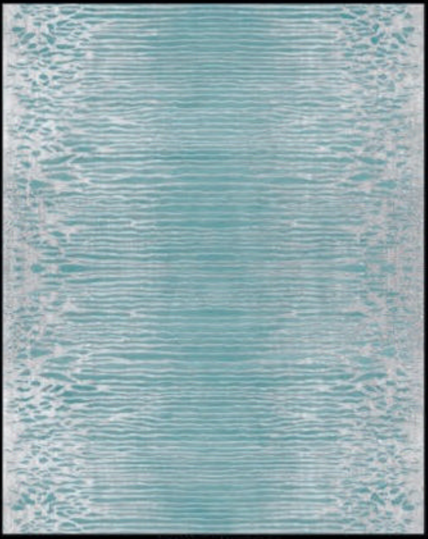

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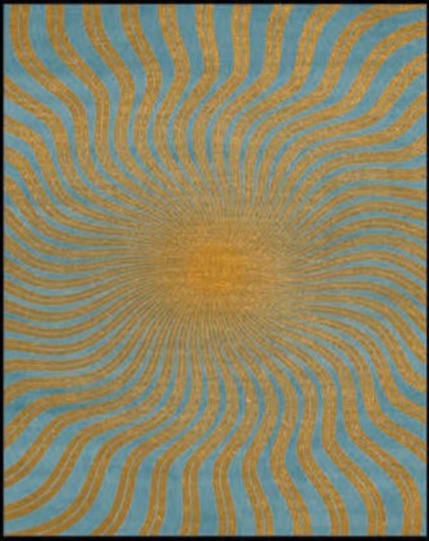

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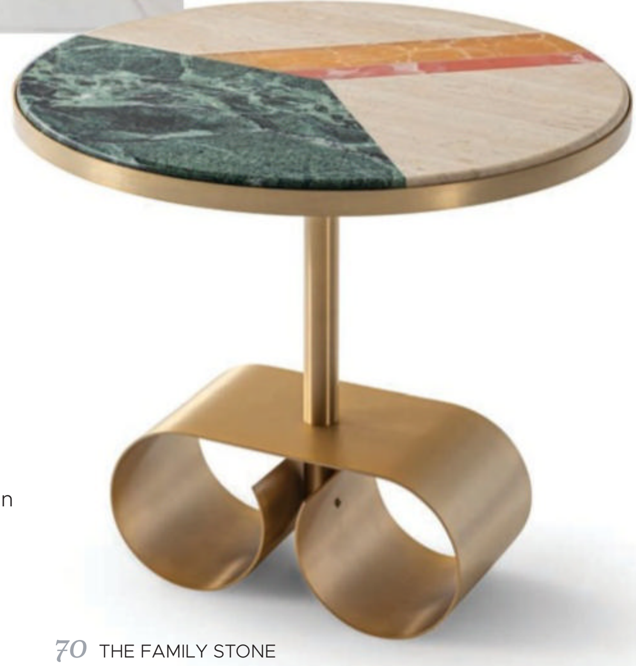

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State of Affairs

The end of spring in Florida—especially for those of us who live in the southern part of the state—used to mean a collective slow-down. As other parts of the country embraced longer days and balmy nights, we opted for hibernation in our air-conditioned interiors or much-welcomed languor in our (probably heated) pools.

That's certainly not the case anymore. Living in Miami, I've certainly noticed the shift. Life is more frenetic come fall, yes, but the social commitments and work pace don't differ by much during these months. That seems to be the norm in the design scene as well. The interior designers, artisans, and creatives I check in with on a regular basis often gripe about their need for long vacations—if only their successful careers didn't get in the way. "You can't say no to these amazing opportunities," Giselle Loor of B+G Design told me at the recent Winter Market at the South Florida Design Park in Hollywood. "You have to say yes and figure it out."

I sort of thrive off this sort of whirlwind. While I am partial to to-do lists and Excel documents, there's something about having too much on my plate that gets my blood pumping. It's somewhat difficult to explain: I don't exactly love the process, but I'm exalted by the results. Good thing I am in a deadline-driven business. (And a big thank-you to my colleagues for indulging my last-minute, off-the-cuff decisions.)

This issue is a testament to the dynamic nature of Florida's design scene all year round. In the pages that follow, you will find five features highlighting superior residences from Ponte Vedra Beach to Fisher Island, accounts on two new showrooms that merit a visit, a portfolio of kitchen spaces to inspire your gourmand sensibilities, expert and professional garden advice, product roundups on bouclé, stone surfaces, silver, earth tones, and other trends that make our hearts beat faster, plus real estate, art, travel, and more.

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As this issue headed to press, Florida was already well into the middle of "season," the annual sweet spot marked by balmy weather, with both part-time and year-round residents fully enjoying their respective corners of paradise.

This is also a time for altruism and doing good on behalf of the people who make Florida run all year long. Many of the interior designers you'll find on these pages are participants in the 2023 Kip's Bay Decorator Show House in West Palm Beach. This annual design showcase raises funds and awareness for the Boys & Girls Clubs of America, a nonprofit that has enormous impact on the youth of Florida. The showhouse also presents the work of both local and national interior designers through a series of inspiring vignettes. We salute and celebrate the efforts of this noble project now in its sixth year.

This is a busy time for all of us at *Florida Design.* Just days ago, we wrapped our participation at the annual Winter Market at South Florida Design Park (SFDP) in Hollywood. In case you're not familiar, the SFDP has rapidly established itself as a must-visit design destination thanks to showroom presence from the likes of J. Nelson, Judith Norman, Mandi Casa, and InsideOut (plus many others). Our involvement at the Market this year included a panel at J. Nelson hosted by *FD* Editorial Director Daphne Nikolopoulos with design greats Fanny Haim, Dakota Jackson, John Pomp, and Jiun Ho that focused on topics like creative energy and inspiration, as well as a talk between Mandi Casa Managing Partner Carlos Bustinza and *FD* Editor-in-Chief Luis R. Rigual about the brand's renovated showroom and innovative kitchen designs. I'm happy to say both presentations were insightful and full of surprises—and one of the many *FD* engagements that is keeping us occupied well through summer.

Until the next one!

Terry

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JUAN POGGI

Poggi Design

"Modern Original," page 152

The 11,500-square-foot Fisher Island residence featured in this edition's cover boasts the outstanding work of designer Juan Poggi and his talented crew at Poggi Design. His approach? To create something unconventional and clean that would not take away from the amazing water views. Poggi delivered with a modern residence marked by custom furniture and expert layering. "I was fortunate to have extremely sophisticated clients who understood the value of custom work," says Poggi. "They were easy to communicate with and very confident that I would deliver what I promised. It was a huge endeavor, but they got the best of my work."

JULIANNE HENDRICKSON

Hendrickson Interiors

"Seamless Transition," page 162

A Tampa couple called on Julianne Hendrickson when the harsh reality of a home renovation became their new normal. "Our team's first priority was to make the home feel current yet timeless," says Hendrickson, whom the homeowners wholeheartedly entrusted to take on the task. Ideally situated just a stone's throw from the city's Bayshore Boulevard's scenic pedestrian walkway, the original 4,467-square-foot structure now boasts 8,807 square feet of under-roof space. That additional square footage has given the couple and their young boys a much more functional place to live and a place they will be happy to call home for many years to come.

DAVID MITCHELL BROWN

David Mitchell Brown

"Mixing Moxie," page 170

Some years back, designer David Mitchell Brown was busy working on a renovation of the hallways and lobby of the exclusive Dunster House condo development in Palm Beach when a resident asked him to come look at her residence. Hours later a collaboration was born in which Brown was tasked with bringing life to a spectacular collection of art and fine furniture. Brown began the project by rearranging and rethinking the rooms in his client's apartment into what would eventually yield a home as dazzling as the art collection itself. "I was blessed to work with someone I became friends with," says the designer. "I can't think about this project without smiling."

LISA ERDMANN

Lisa Erdmann & Associates

"Bold & Beautiful," page 180

When a couple decided to completely overhaul their Vero Beach residence to make room for a better kitchen, a new primary bedroom, and a guest house, they called on designer Lisa Erdmann to bring it all together once the constructing and building was done. "They wanted this to feel very much like Florida," says Erdmann. "That's how they want to live in the house: very casually." As the expansion called for new furnishings, the challenge was to create a look that also incorporated pieces the couple had grown fond of, while taking the style in a new direction. "Lisa was willing to work with us," says the wife. "The second I met her, I felt like I was working with a friend."

LAUREN LEONARD

Lauren Leonard Interiors

"Custom Coastal," page 190

After finding themselves as the owners of a family house in Ponte Vedra Beach that they had built from scratch, a couple of young parents decided they needed a designer who would understand their needs for a modern family home that could take on whatever three young tykes could throw at it. The couple found the ideal professional when they met Lauren Leonard, a savvy designer who never says no to a challenge and is well-versed in the art of balancing form and function. Leonard quickly helped the husband and wife zero in on the pieces that would fit together to create the ideal dwelling. "The homeowners and I were very in sync with the design plan from the beginning," says the designer. "That made for a great collaboration."

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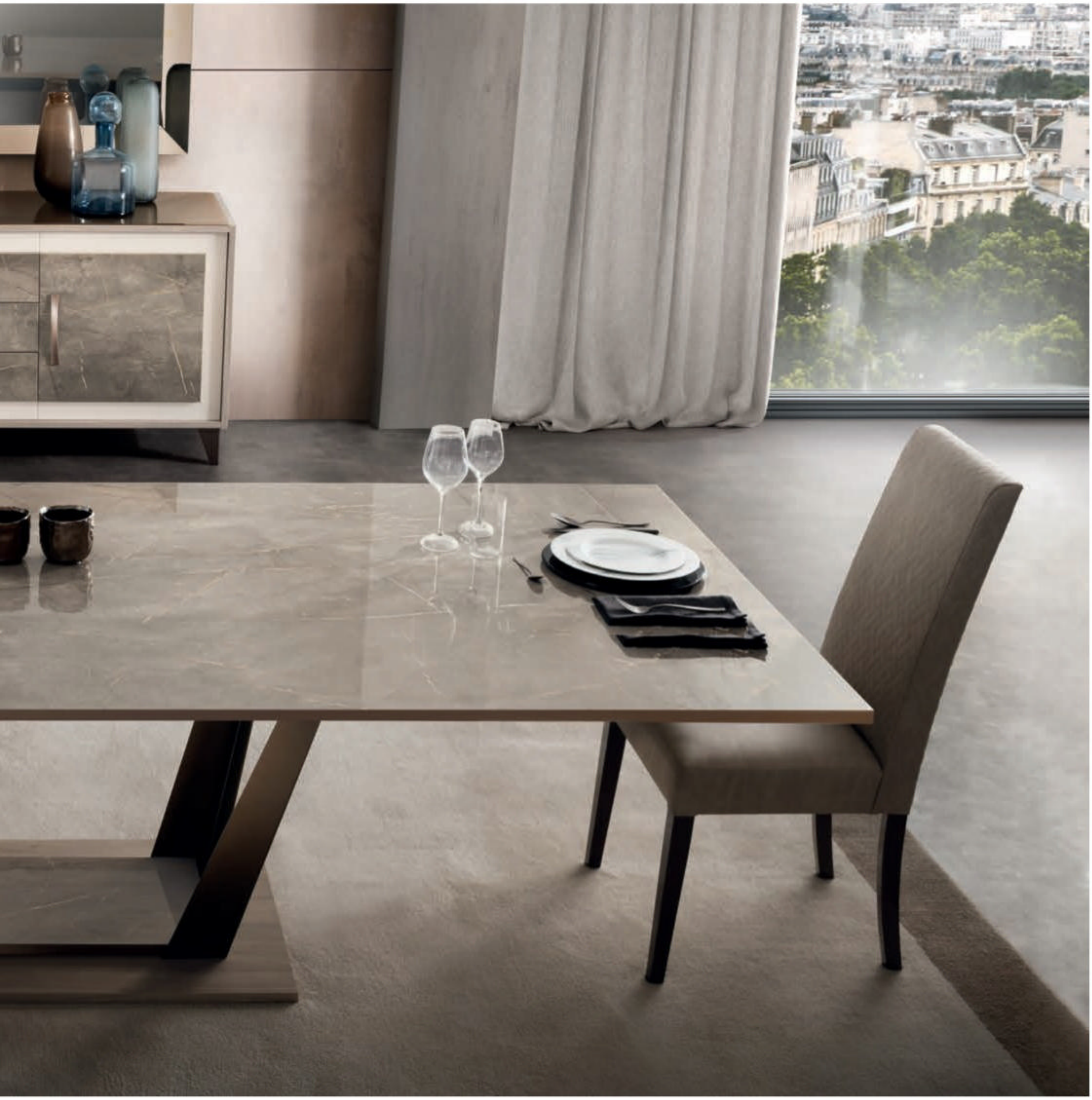

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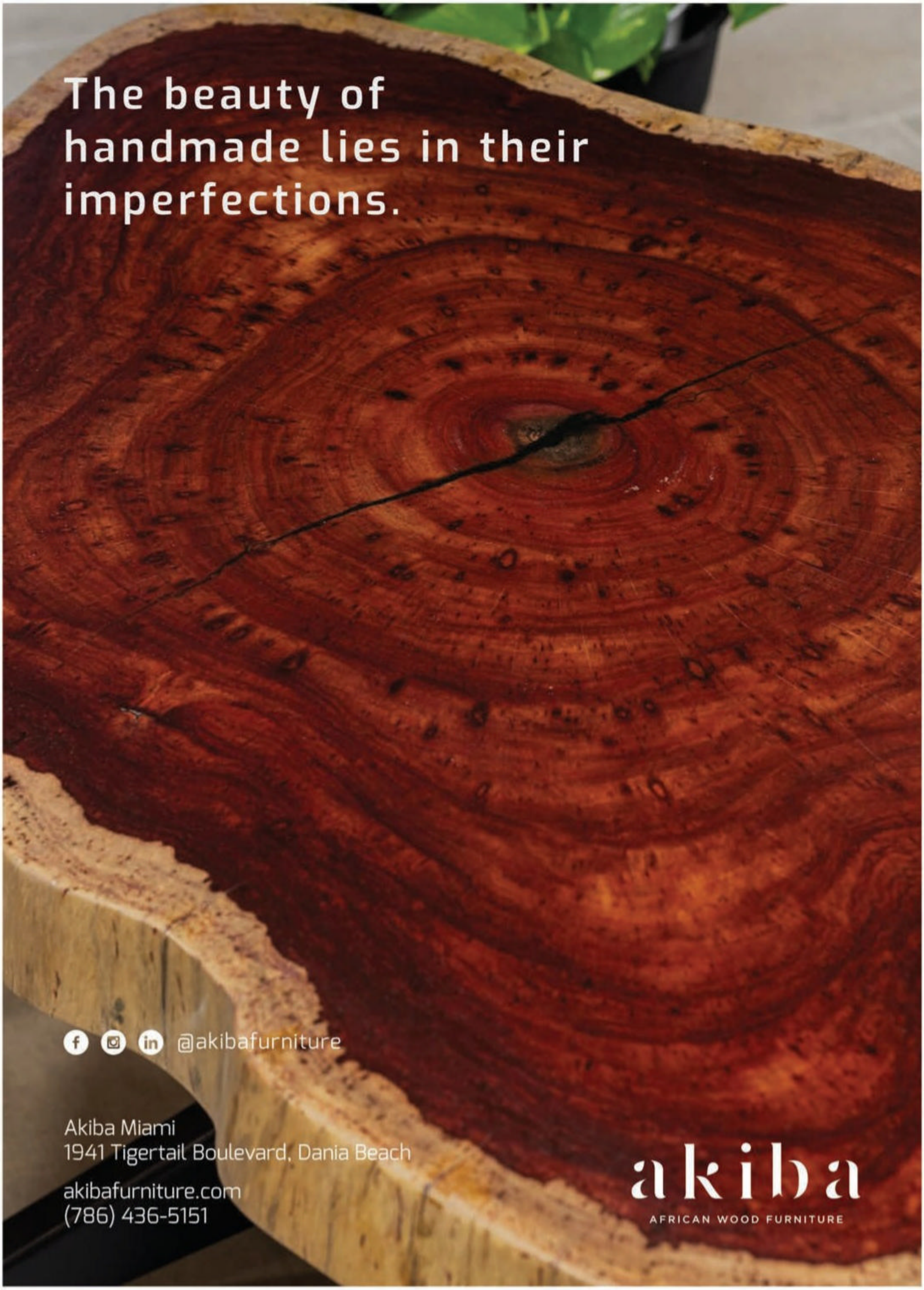

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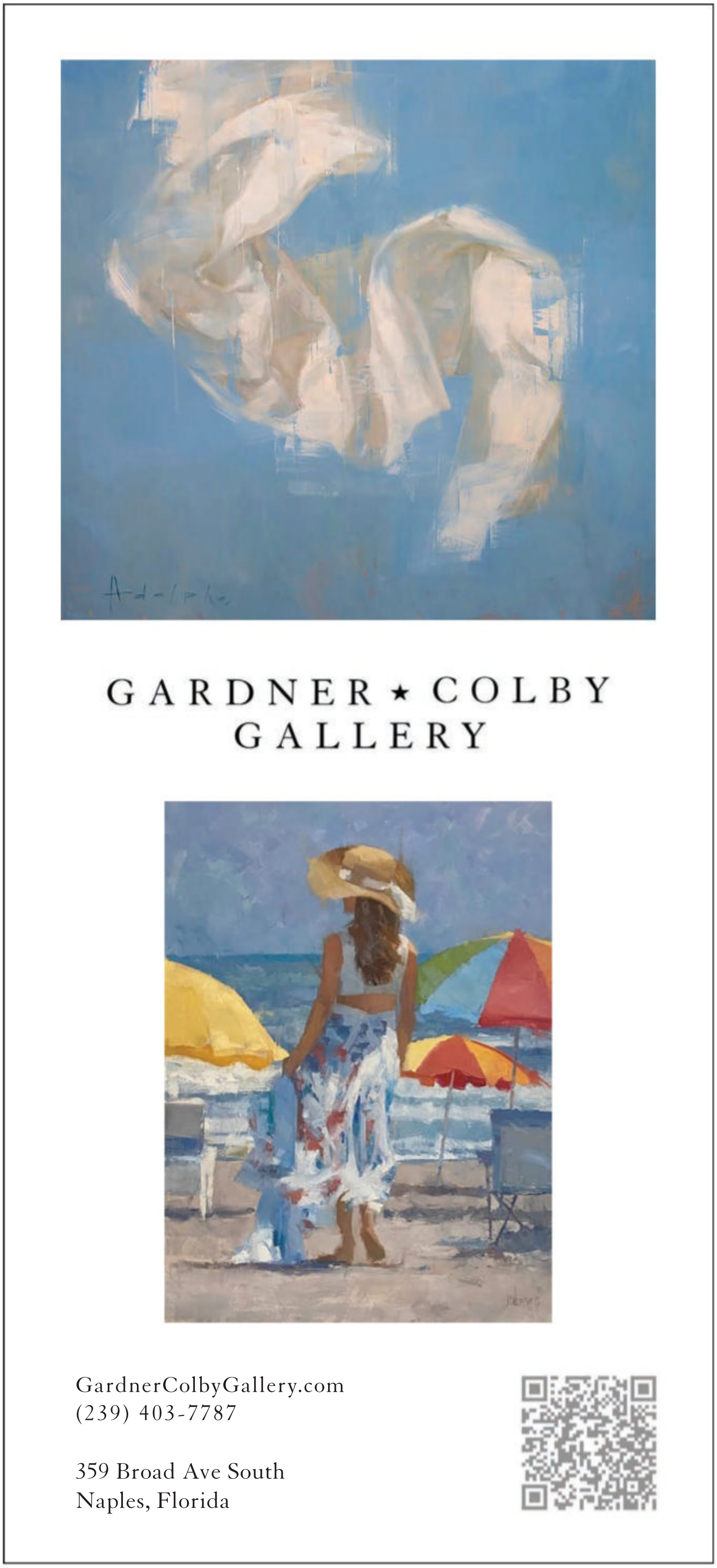
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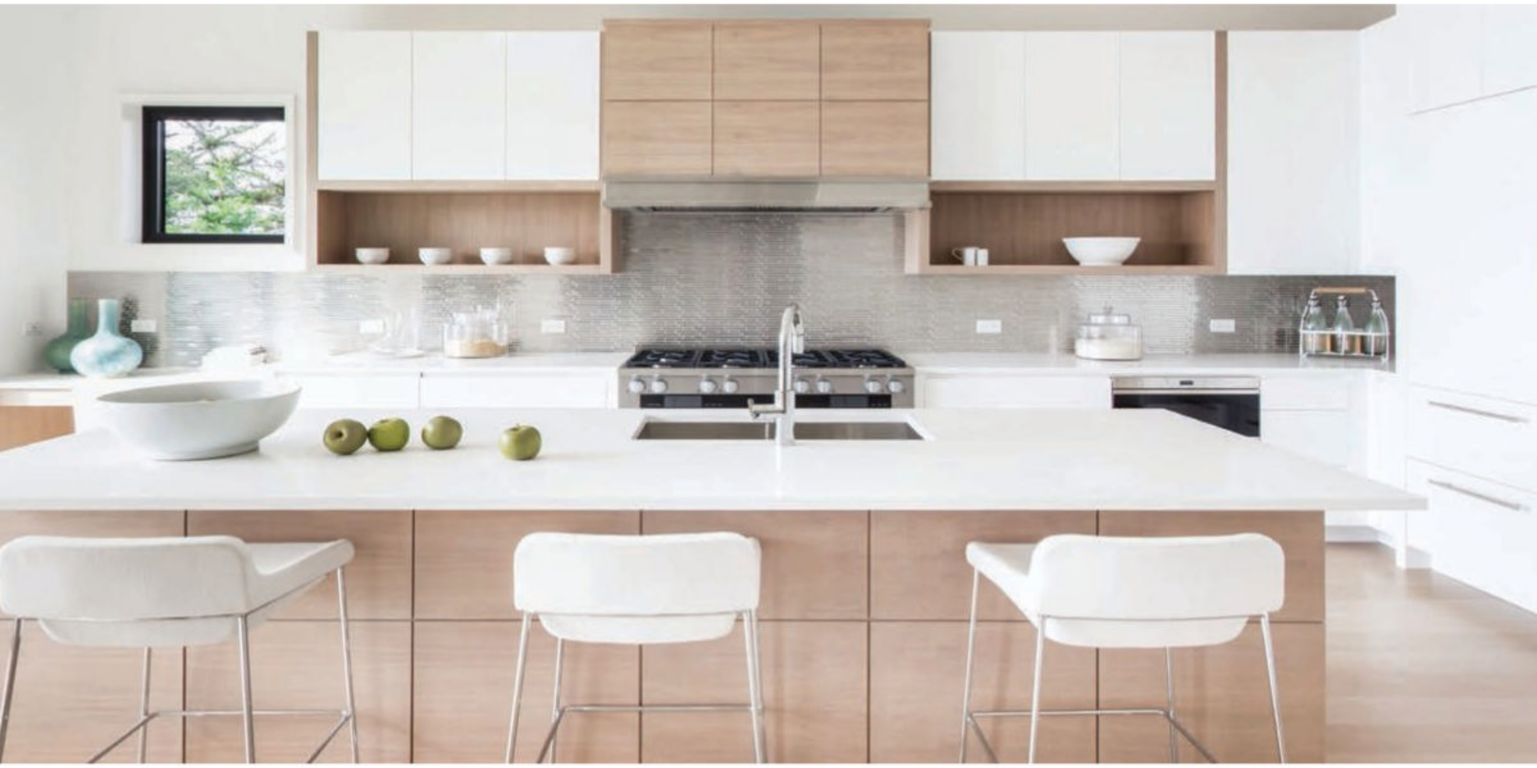

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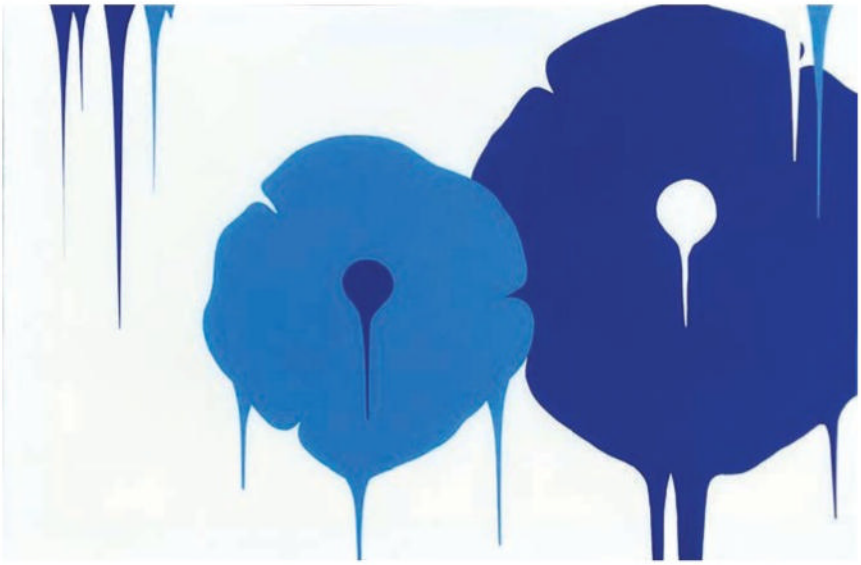

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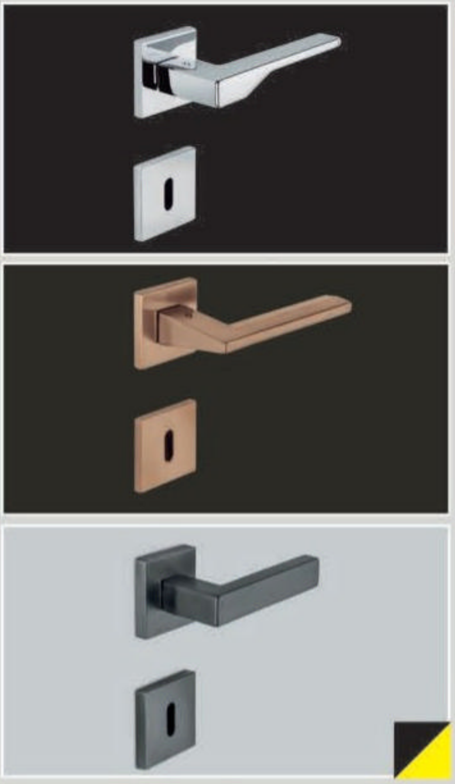

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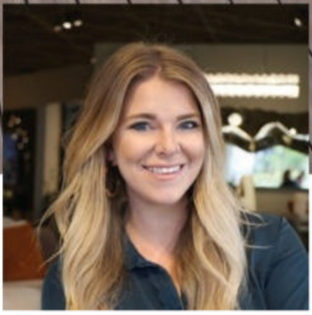

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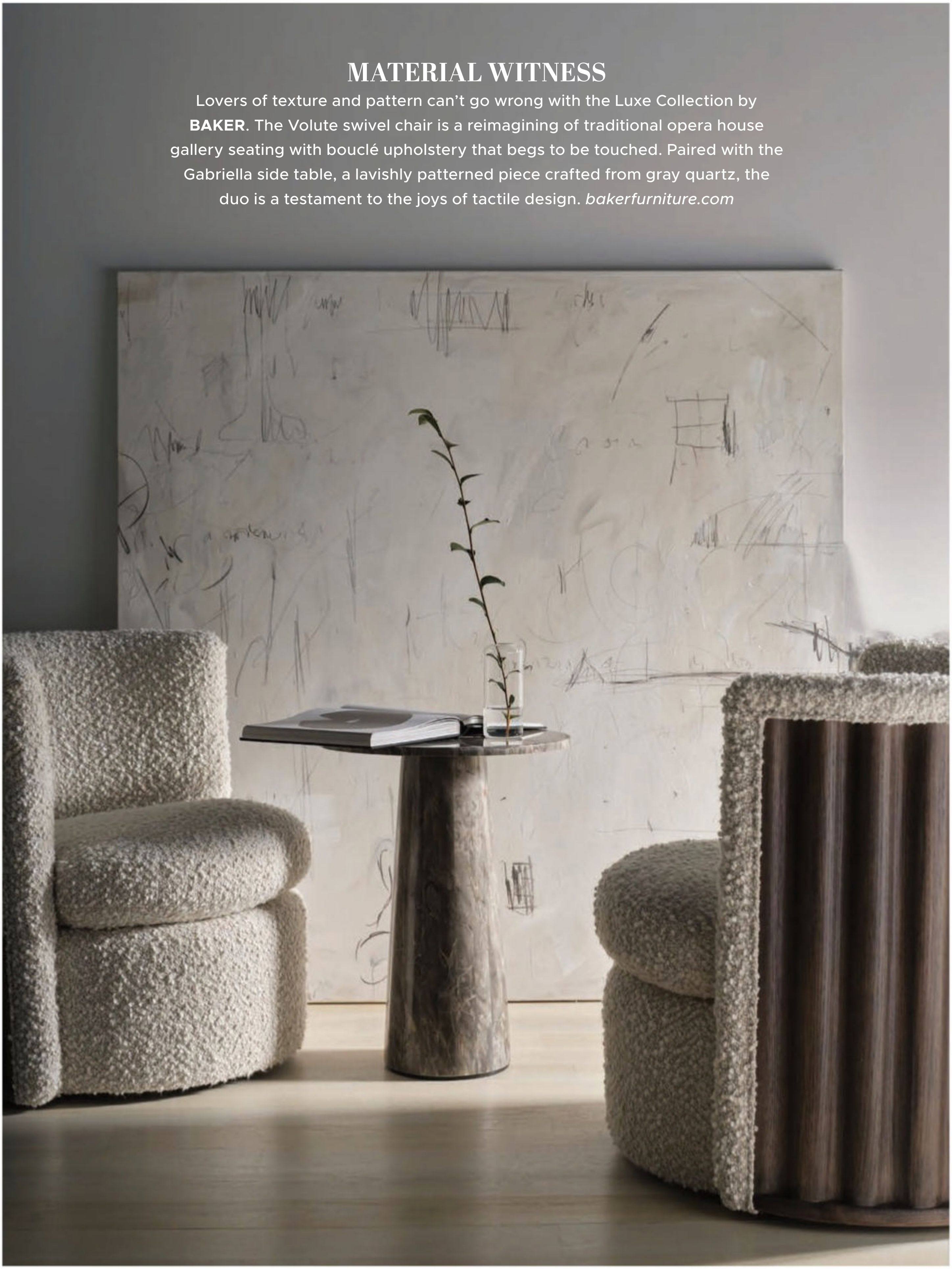
Lovers of texture and pattern can’t go wrong with the Luxe Collection by **BAKER**. The Volute swivel chair is a reimagining of traditional opera house gallery seating with bouclé upholstery that begs to be touched. Paired with the Gabriella side table, a lavishly patterned piece crafted from gray quartz, the duo is a testament to the joys of tactile design. *bakerfurniture.com*



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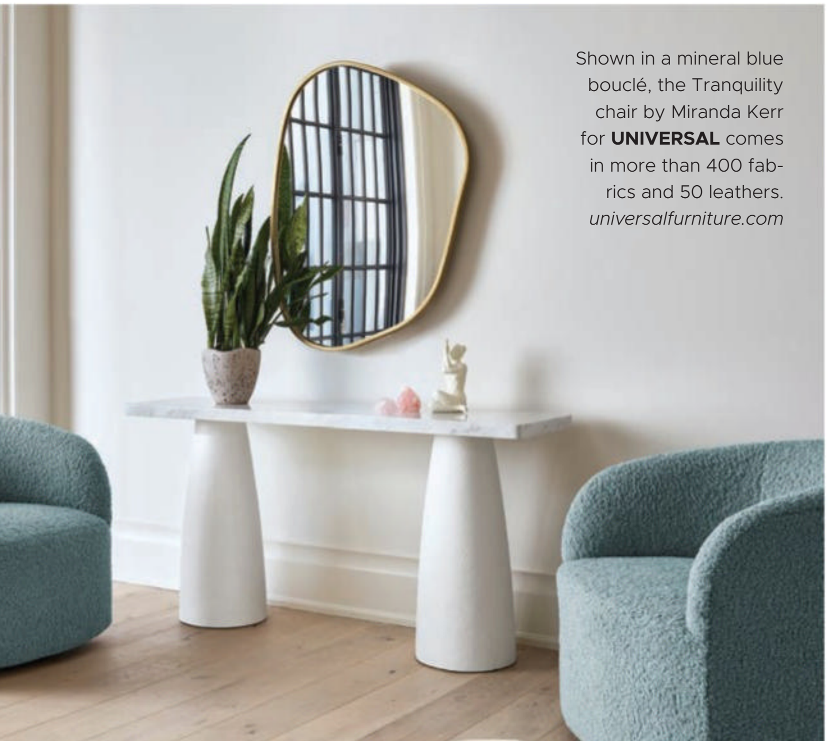
THE FUZZY, TEXTURED YARN GAINS SERIOUS TRACTION WHEN IT COMES TO STYLISH SEATING

ABOVE: A channeled bouclé seat seems to float between two stainless steel arms on the Axis chair by **BERNHARDT**, an ultra-modern piece that doesn't sacrifice comfort in any way. *bernhardt.com*



Shown in a mineral blue bouclé, the Tranquility chair by Miranda Kerr for **UNIVERSAL** comes in more than 400 fabrics and 50 leathers. *universalfurniture.com*

ABOVE: The combination of leather and bouclé faux wool gives the Aspen bench by **REGINA ANDREWS** an unmistakable equestrian aesthetic. *reginaandrews.com*

ABOVE: The Hela chair by **NATHAN ANTHONY** features rounded and sheltering arms with a double-stacked seat design for added interest. *nafurniture.com*

LEFT: Artful and playful, the bouclé sphere pillows by **LULU AND GEORGIA** instantly add a textural accent to any sofa. *luluandgeorgia.com*

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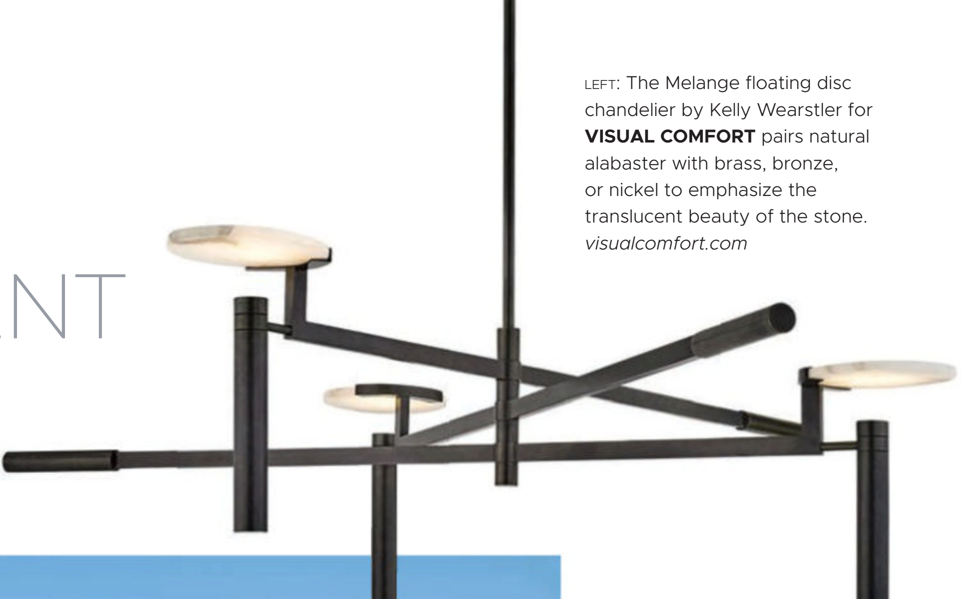
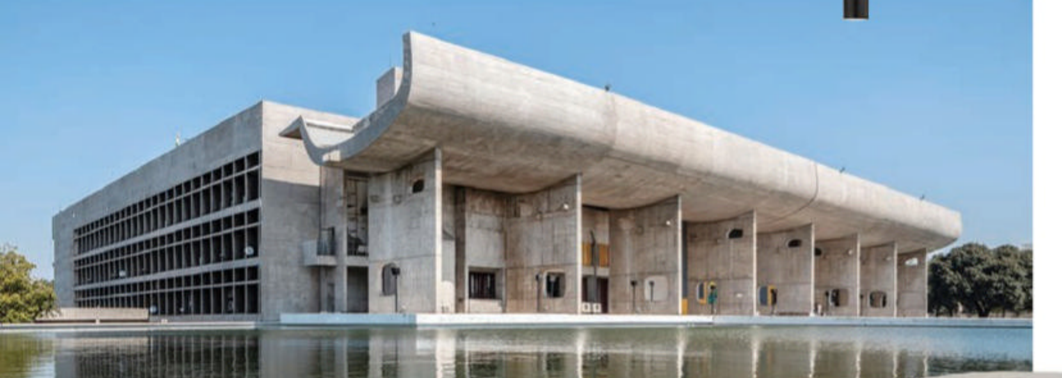
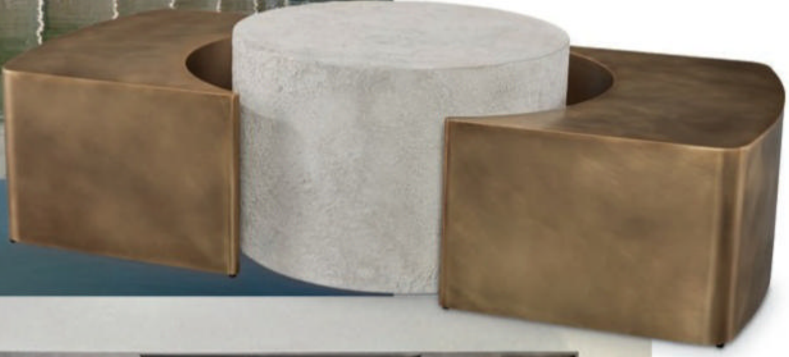


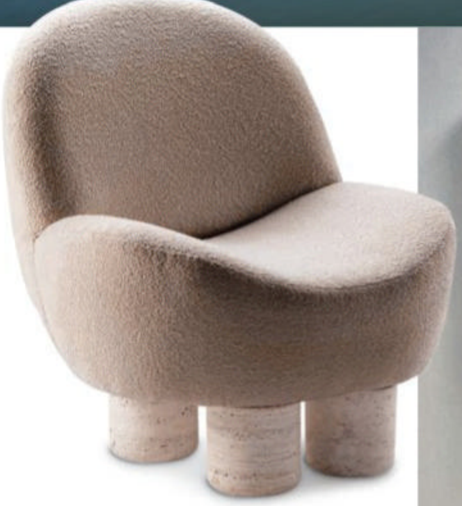
LEFT: The Melange floating disc chandelier by Kelly Wearstler for **VISUAL COMFORT** pairs natural alabaster with brass, bronze, or nickel to emphasize the translucent beauty of the stone. *visualcomfort.com*



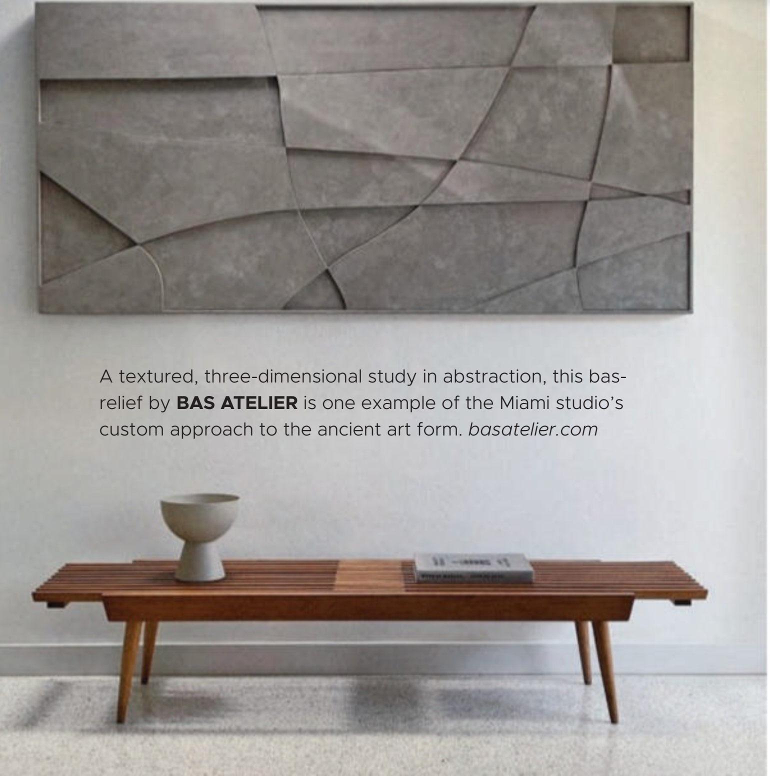
With its supported concrete structure and swooping roof, the Palace of the Assembly in Chandigarh, India is one of brutalism's most notable structures. The building was designed by Le Corbusier, the architect who gave the design movement its name in the late 1940s.

BELOW: Brass and stone embrace in a brutalist statement in the Galvarino coffee table by **SOUTH & ENGLISH**, a mod-minded update of similar pieces found at European antique shops. *southandenglish.com*





ABOVE: The column legs on the Hygge lounge chair by **ROUSE HOME** remind us of brutalism's penchant for raw and unadorned concrete. *rousehome.com*



A textured, three-dimensional study in abstraction, this bas-relief by **BAS ATELIER** is one example of the Miami studio's custom approach to the ancient art form. *basatelier.com*

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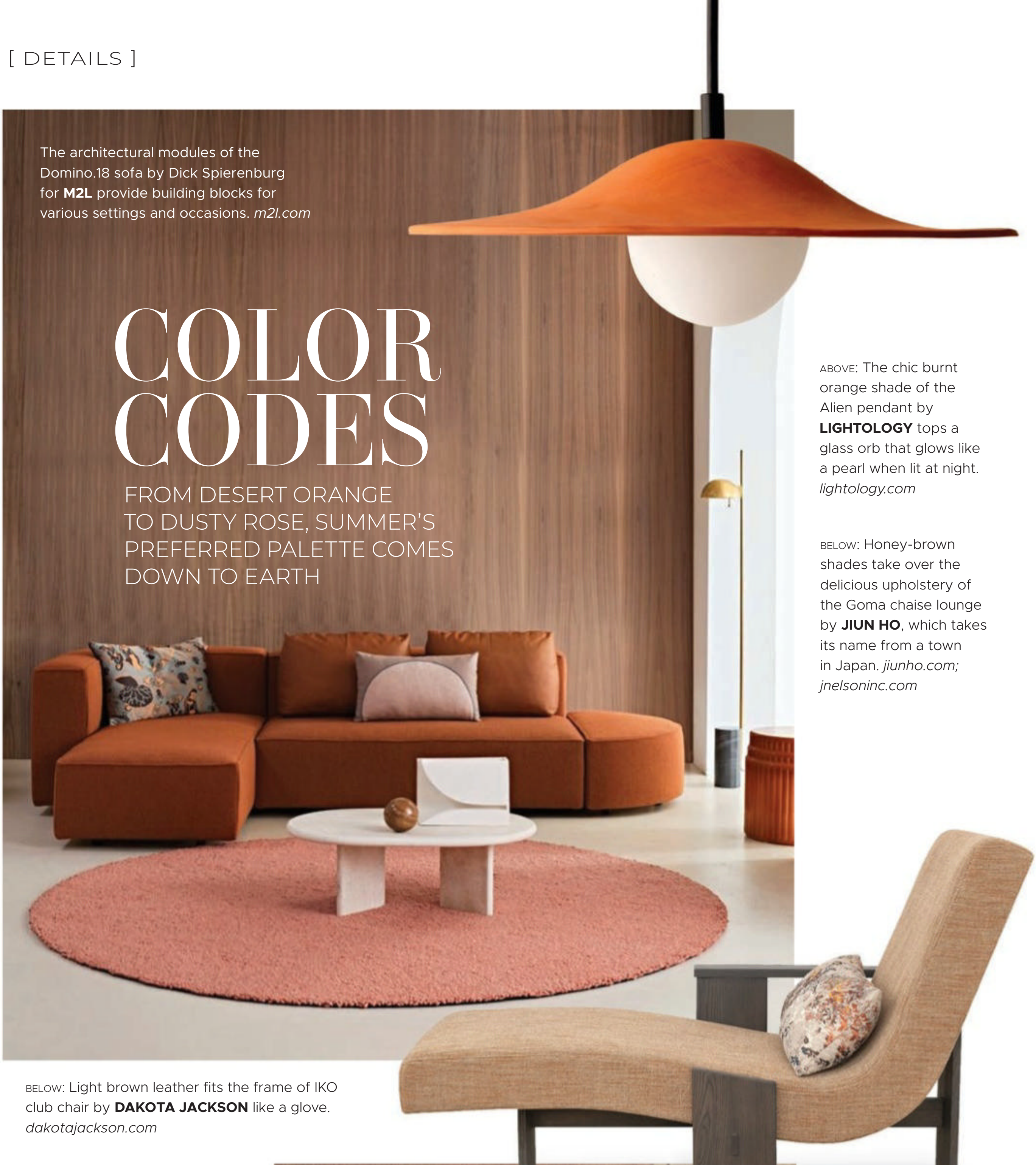

The architectural modules of the Domino.18 sofa by Dick Spierenburg for **M2L** provide building blocks for various settings and occasions. *m2l.com*

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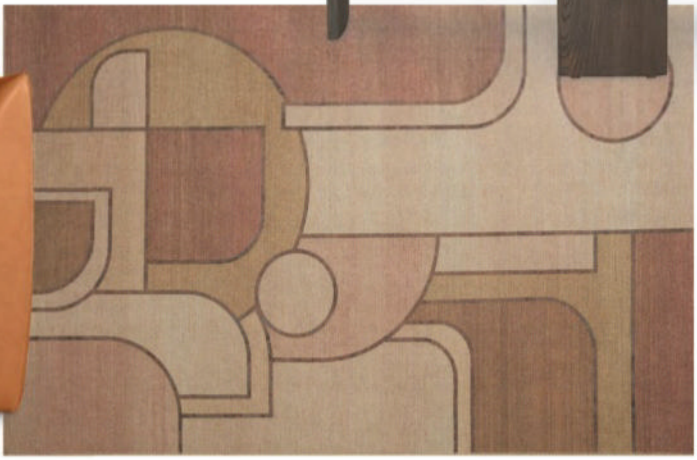
ABOVE: The chic burnt orange shade of the Alien pendant by **LIGHTOLOGY** tops a glass orb that glows like a pearl when lit at night. *lightology.com*

BELOW: Honey-brown shades take over the delicious upholstery of the Goma chaise lounge by **JIUN HO**, which takes its name from a town in Japan. *jiunho.com; jnelsoninc.com*

BELOW: Light brown leather fits the frame of IKO club chair by **DAKOTA JACKSON** like a glove. *dakotajackson.com*



LEFT: Purposely faded tones of rose and brown color the bold outlines of the Good Morning rugs by Justina Blakeney for **LOLOI**. Ideal for multiple rooms, the rugs are loomed with jute and polyester by artisans in Egypt. *loloirugs.com*

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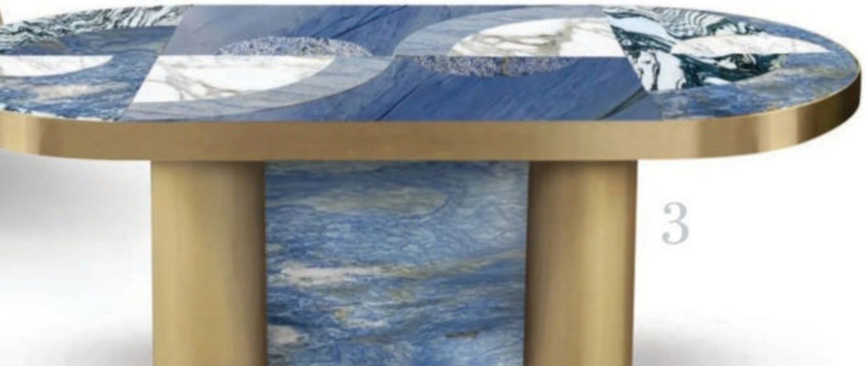
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LEFT: The Zenith Faunacrystopolis is the first **BACCARAT** chandelier with stripes from tip to toe. The mix of blue and clear crystal adds to its charm. *us.baccarat.com*

ABOVE: Hand-crafted in Italy with an antiqued gold leaf trim, this neoclassic bench from **INVITING HOME** makes a striking living room statement. *invitinghome.com*

RIGHT: The Wellington mirror by **GLOBAL VIEWS** is accented with hand-gilded gold leaf for next-level beauty. *globalviews.com*

ABOVE: The Diana table by Thomas Pheasant for **BAKER** recalls 1940s glamour thanks to its theatrical silhouette. *bakerfurniture.com*

LEFT: Lovely as a bedroom dresser, the Opposites Attract credenza by **CARACOLE** is pure subdued elegance. *caracole.com*

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ABOVE: The extruded pieces of aluminum in the Alumilux Aster pendant by **ET2 LIGHTING** provide illumination that complements minimalist spaces. *et2lightinglights.com*

LEFT: Industrial meets glam in the Anna coffee table by **LIEVO HOME** thanks to the piece's white marble top and polished stainless-steel frame. *lievohome.com*

ABOVE: **MICHAEL ARAM** takes a flight of fancy with the Skeleton chair, his rather modernist approach to gothic design. *michaelaram.com*

ABOVE: One wouldn't know it from simply glancing at it, but the Deco console by **GLOBAL VIEWS** is actually made of wood. This is then treated with textured brass sheeting for an antiqued silver finish. *globalviews.com*

BELOW: The Illusion metal sculpture by **NOIR** is a geometrical celebration of gravity—and gravitas. *noirfurniturela.com*

RIGHT: The metallic silver Circle wallpaper by Julian Scott for **BURKE DECOR** boasts a three-dimensional quality with minimalist edge. *burkedecor.com*

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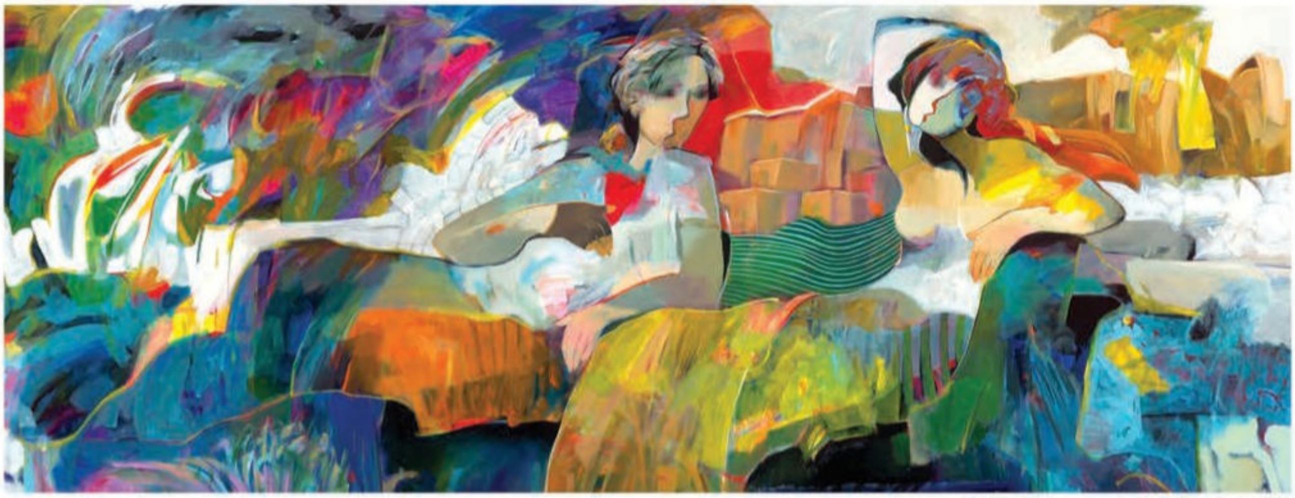

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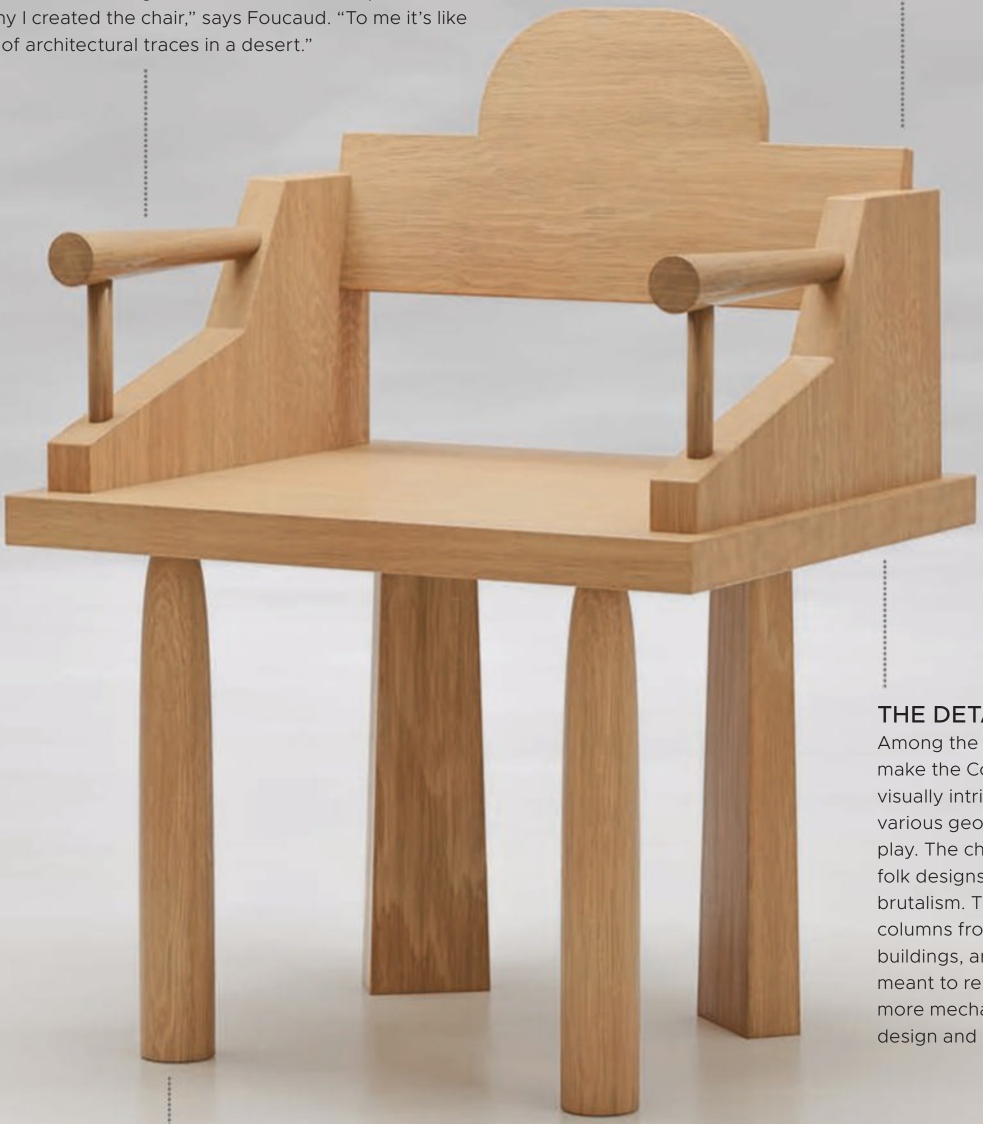

THE DETAILS

Among the features that make the Colorado chair visually intriguing are the various geometric shapes at play. The chair's back nods to folk designs from Latvia and brutalism. The arms resemble columns from classical buildings, and the legs are meant to remind us of the more mechanical aspects of design and architecture.

THE FINAL WORD

"I envision the piece in any interior that calls for fluid and organic shapes," says Foucaud. "To me, it's not just ornamental, but meant to be used. It demands functionality." *benjaminfoucaud.com; studiotwentyseven.com*

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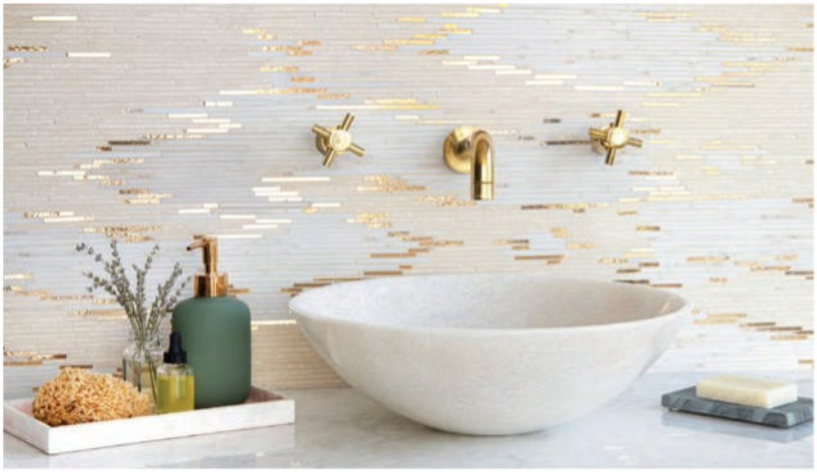
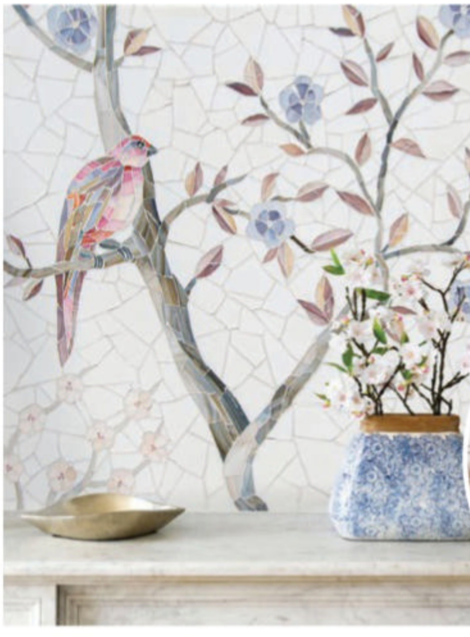
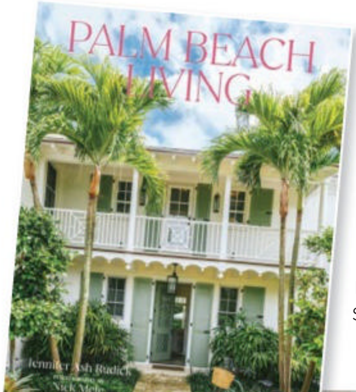
NEW RAVENNA CELEBRATES 30 YEARS OF MOSAIC MOXIE WITH THE HERITAGE COLLECTION

New Ravenna can be counted on to release new collections on a regular basis, but the brand's new Heritage line is special for multiple reasons. Heritage celebrates the mosaic maker's thirtieth anniversary and features 14 designs handcrafted at the company's Virginia headquarters from jewel glass and Glazed Basalto (the company's proprietary volcanic stone) with brass and metallic accents. "The collection journeys through our three decades of design, innovation, and craftsmanship by reinterpreting our most popular patterns and textures," says Creative Director Cean Irminger. To that end, the categories under the collection include History, which honors the first 10 years when the brand was inspired by mosaics in the Roman African tradition, Texture, which celebrates New Ravenna's second decade and its foray into Venetian techniques, and Color, a nod to the last 10 years when the focus has been on ombré blends and other shade innovations. Depending on the material, Heritage's mosaics can be installed on walls and floors, indoors and out. *newravenna.com*





ABOVE: The Reve mosaic brings shine to bathroom walls. LEFT: New Ravenna's Chinoiserie mosaic creates a nature scene marked by soft blue and rose shades. BELOW: The Roman Check mosaic is ideal for patio applications.



LEFT: The cover of *Palm Beach Living* features a home by Fairfax & Sammons

ABOVE: Book photographer Nick Mele and author Jennifer Ash Rudick

SHELF LIFE Although they're as individual as only architecture can be, the homes in *Palm Beach Living* (The Vendome Press), a new coffee table book by author Jennifer Ash Rudick with photography by Nick Mele, all share an unabashed love for the type of indoor/outdoor living that only South Floridians can understand. Featuring everything from charming bungalows to massive Mediterranean Revival estates, the 344-page volume is a who's-who of talent with structures, interiors, and gardens by the likes of architects Maurice Fario and John Volk, landscape masters Fernando Wong and Mario Nievera, and interior designers from Amanda Lindroth to Jonathan Adler. Tropical style has never looked better. *vendomepress.com*

ABOVE: A loggia (featuring various Oomph chairs covered in Perennials fabric) from one of the estates featured in the volume

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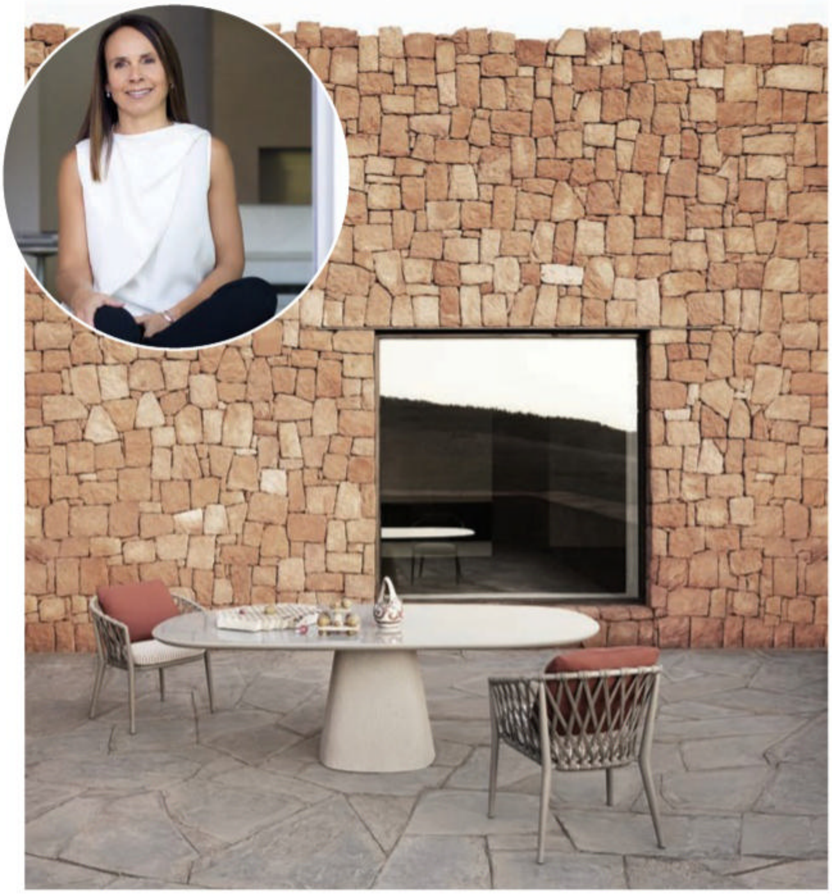
ABOVE: Available in various colors, the Flair O'Chair is designed with a backrest woven on a special circular loom.

GO TEAM!

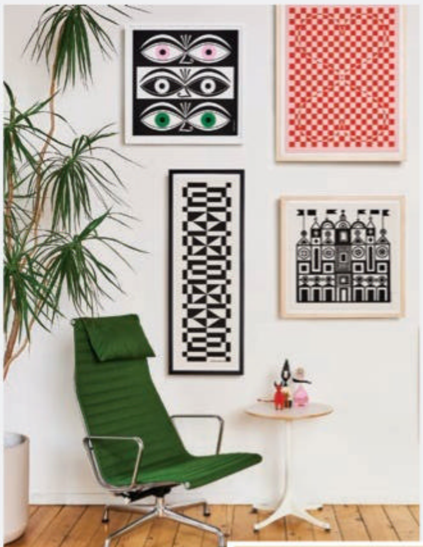
B&B ITALIA'S LATEST LINE SPEAKS TO THE POWER OF COLLABORATION

Two of this summer's most buzzy design releases prove that two creative minds are sometimes better than one. Designer Monica Armani's latest collection for B&B Italia is the result of a collaboration with the design wizards at unPizzo Studio in Cantù, Italy. The sum of their efforts—a tribute to 1960s glamour—can be seen in the Allure O'Table, a piece that balances straight lines and sinuous curves with incredible dexterity, and the Flair O'Chair, a testament to the possibilities of traditional weaving techniques. Pair them together for the ultimate European design statement. *bebitalia.com*

BELOW: Designer Monica Armani



ABOVE: The top of the Allure O'Table is created in concrete that's then manually glazed by airbrush, a technique that allows for a variety of colors.



ABOVE: Four of the Girard posters arranged together as they would have been in a 1970s-era office
RIGHT: A close-up of the Bouquet pattern

GRAPHIC CONTENT In the brand's own words, Herman Miller has "opened its vault" to release a series of posters featuring the graphics created by mid-century modern designer Alexander Girard for the Girard Environmental Enrichment Panels, a group of decorative silkscreen designs released in 1972 to liven up office environments. Varying in theme and size, the patterns include everything from heart shapes to eyes. The posters recreate the imagery on cotton paper framed in American maple with a natural white or black finish. *hermanmiller.com*

The Castle pattern poster in a bedroom environment

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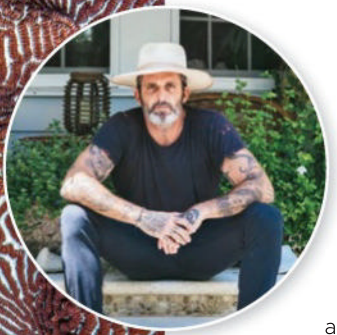


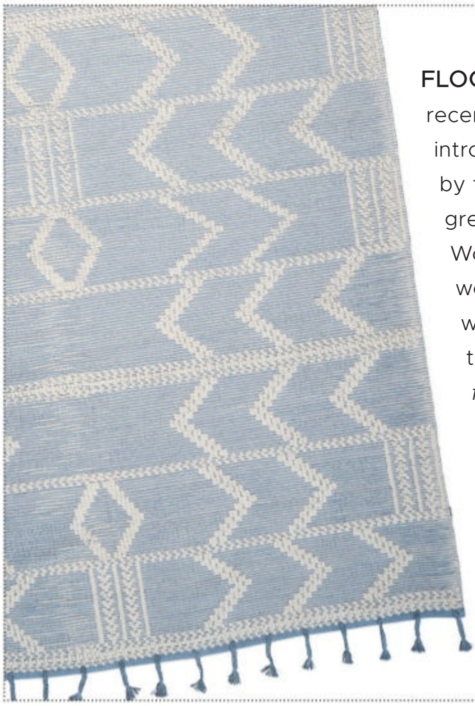
THE SEA INSIDE

WEST PALM BEACH'S GW SHOWROOM TURNS THE FOCUS ON THE UNDERWATER PHOTOGRAPHY OF CHRIS LEIDY

Adventurer Chris Leidy has swam his way across the world as an underwater photographer. His captivating photographs of austere landscapes, extraordinary natural phenomena, and rarely seen submarine animals and vegetation have won him praise among his peers and admiration from ocean lovers. That's because through Leidy's lens, coral reefs, schools of fish, and exotic urchins on a sandbank become something entirely new, intriguing, and fascinating. Leidy's imagery will be on display at a new exhibition at the GW Showroom in West Palm Beach (running through April 30) that will focus on vibrant photographs captured during his explorations of the oceans of Micronesia, Papua New Guinea, and Tonga. Portions of the proceeds from any of the works sold during the run of the show will benefit West Palm Beach's Cox Science Center and Aquarium and its marine research programs. *gwifl.com; chrisleidyphotography.com*

THIS PAGE: Chris Leidy's underwater photos portray marine life as works of art.

ABOVE INSET: Photographer Chris Leidy at home



FLOOR-LEVEL ACCESS Call it great rugs for an even greater cause. Schumacher recently relaunched its in-house designed collection for the first time since it was introduced in the 1960s. The line includes 13 patterns, many of which are inspired by the brand's most popular fabric and wallpaper designs. The aforementioned great cause? The rugs are woven by female artisans through a program called Women's Weavers, an initiative that helps women in rural India learn the art of weaving to give them the opportunity to help support their families. *fschumacher.com*

LEFT: Schumacher's Malta French Knot rug is made of wool and cotton on a traditional pit loom.

RIGHT: Swatches from Schumacher's Zimba (LEFT), Branson (RIGHT) and Vento (BOTTOM) rugs

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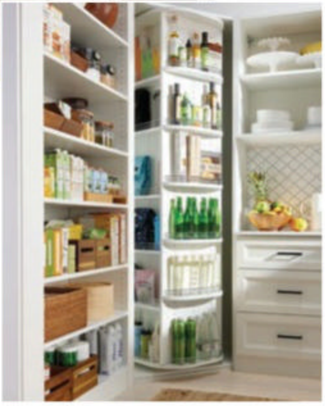
THE CONTAINER STORE'S NEW SYSTEM OF ORGANIZATION COVERS THE ENTIRE HOME

Marie Kondo devotees, take note. The Container Store's newest line, Preston, offers a super-smart system of organization that can be applied in different ways in multiple spaces. Made from recycled and reclaimed woods, the customizable options include wall beds, media centers with concealed parts, garage solutions, and the 360 Organizer, a rotating contraption that puts favorite items at your fingertips and can be used in wardrobes, pantries, wine cellars, and more. Details for these custom niches include various finishes and hardware, glass doors, LED lighting, frameless mirror doors, and leather drawer fronts. *containerstore.com*

ABOVE AND LEFT: The new Preston system uses recycled and reclaimed woods for its closet systems.



LEFT: The Preston's 360 Organizer is ideal in kitchen pantries to maximize space thanks to its rotating ability.

GREAT EXPECTATIONS New York-based antiques purveyor Newel is determined to become one of the largest businesses of its type in the country. The company recently acquired the esteemed Gary Rubinstein Antiques & Modern Design showroom, which has been operating out of Hollywood, Florida since 2007. The acquisition will not only significantly increase Newel's collection of international antiques, but it will also bring an influx of modern and mid-century furniture (including renowned works by Gio Ponti and Karl Springer) into its fold. "This was an exciting opportunity for us that we couldn't pass up," says Newel CEO Jake Baer. "With an increase in contemporary offerings and a Florida footprint, we will appeal to a new set of designers while also responding to the industry's exodus to the Sunshine State." *newel.com; garyrubinsteinantiques.com*

ABOVE AND RIGHT: Now part of Newel, Gary Rubinstein's inventory of antiques includes a vast selection of mid-century modern furniture and art.

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DOWN TO BUSINESS

THE HOME OFFICE EMERGES AS THE ROOM ALL RESIDENCES NEED

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Custom Touches

FOR PALM BEACH GARDENS DESIGNER JASON LYNN, A HOME OFFICE WINS WHEN TAILORED SPECIFICALLY TO ITS OCCUPANT'S NEEDS

LEFT: Designer Jason Lynn ABOVE: In this Wellington home office, materials like oak, bronze, and leather reflect the area's equestrian heritage.

BELOW: A home office on the Intracoastal Waterway in Manalapan is unabashedly lavish with custom detailing on the ceiling, pearlized wall coverings, and walnut plank flooring.

When the pandemic forced so many of us to work from our houses and then working remotely became the norm, it seems the home office went from a luxury to a must. Did you notice such a request among your clients? Yes. As a result of the pandemic, there was indeed a surge in demand to set up home offices, especially ones where both spouses could do their jobs individually. And as meetings moved online, more of our clients wanted dedicated spaces to conduct virtual communications.

Home offices are so individual. What are some of the design hallmarks you keep in mind? We tailor them to each client's specific needs. For example, most require a large table to review documents or surface room for several monitors to keep tabs on the market. Home offices must be aesthetically pleasing and fit their location.

But how do you keep them from being too cold, like corporate versions? We install all the bells and whistles to conduct business as usual, but allow for a softer feel with textures, soft tones, and wall paneling to absorb sound.

How do you approach organization and storage? Based on whether the person is right- or left-handed, we ensure organizational elements are nearby. We conceal machinery as much as possible to maintain tidiness. And we always take into account the angle that others will see behind our client when talking to him or her during virtual meetings.

Finally, what's key when it comes to ornamentation? It should be minimal but personal and celebrate a person's life and career success. That's why family photos, diplomas, and awards are great here. *decoratorsunlimited.com*

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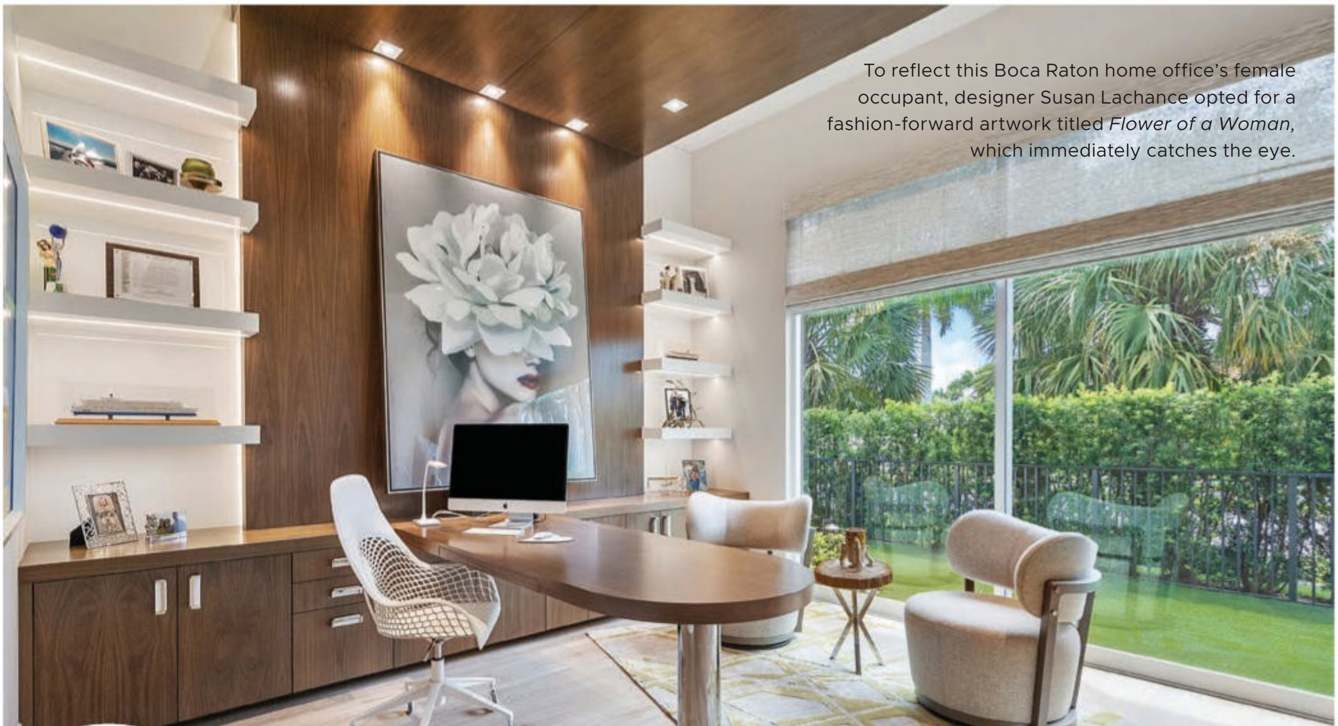


To reflect this Boca Raton home office's female occupant, designer Susan Lachance opted for a fashion-forward artwork titled *Flower of a Woman*, which immediately catches the eye.

Favorite Spot

BOCA RATON DESIGNER SUSAN LACHANCE BELIEVES IN TREATING THE HOME OFFICE AS THE MOST POPULAR ROOM IN THE HOUSE

What's your design take on the home office? I ask myself: What makes this room different from others in the house? Is it a place to work, simply spend time in, or both? If a client has a comfortable home office tailored to his or her needs, they will have a good time using it every day in lieu of other parts of the house.

Has your firm seen an increase in demand for home offices since the pandemic? Yes, especially in guest bedrooms. That tells us that it seems like our clients' kids are spending more time with their parents in sunny Florida since the pandemic. And because more people are working remotely, it seems we are also putting desks in every room. This doesn't preclude the professional who has decided he or she can work from home and visit the office a couple of times a week as opposed to the [traditional] five days.

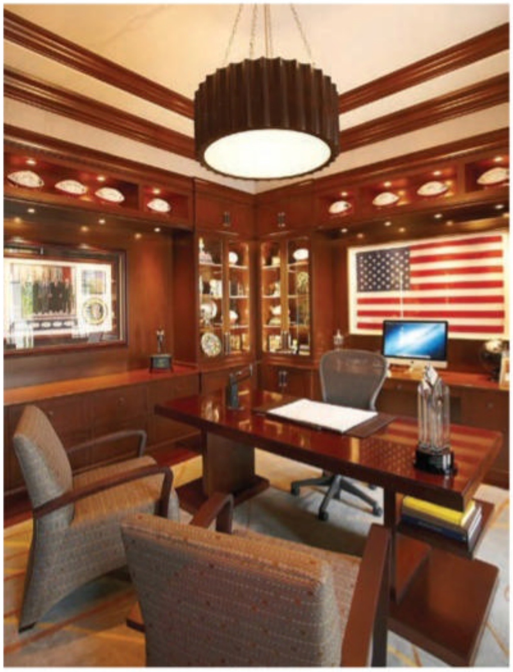
What are the musts you keep in mind when approaching the design of these spaces? Accommodating file cabinets, multiple monitors, and large printers, and ensuring there's proper lighting are my top priorities.

What are some of your tried-and-true strategies when it comes to storage? Whenever possible, we prefer a credenza with a center drawer that allows the client to swing around and work from both the desk and the credenza. Most clients prefer a large counter to spread papers out.

Is there room for wow factor in a home office when it comes to ornamentation? Yes, and that varies. Sometimes that's done through art on the walls or personal items that tell the story of someone's achievements. But always, always with proper lighting.

susanlachance.com

FAR LEFT: Boca Raton designer Susan Lachance
BELOW: Mahogany makes a bold statement in this Hillsborough study. Owned by an NFL player, the office features a custom display filled with football memorabilia and awards.



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An antique winged lion sculpture from Venice welcomes visitors to the new garden of Authentic Provence in West Palm Beach.

VINTAGE APPEAL

ANTIQUES PURVEYOR AUTHENTIC PROVENCE EXPANDS ITS WEST PALM BEACH FOOTPRINT IN A MAJOR WAY

TEXT LUIS R. RIGUAL

Shortly after opening its doors in West Palm Beach in 1998, Authentic Provence established itself as one of South Florida's most distinguished destinations for antiques. All of that has to do with the efforts of owners Susan and Wolfgang Hofherr, two good-life connoisseurs, and their discerning eye for vintage treasures. Together, the two Europeans (she's from France, he's from Austria) speak six languages, which has allowed them to nurture relationships with vendors all over the world—a fact that's evident in their enviable inventory. When they're not busy sourcing the European countryside for their wares, the husband and wife travel extensively to renovate grand gardens and historic chalets all over the world. In other words: Mr. and Mrs. Hofherr know their business quite well.

This spring, they're putting all that knowledge to good use with an expansion that has added two new galleries (totaling 45,000 square feet) to Authentic Provence at 6100 Georgia Avenue. The larger footprint means a new

ABOVE INSET: An oversized garden medallion of Zeus with a decorated border from Italy LEFT: A classical Roman sculpture situated among planters and garden furniture at Authentic Provence's new space

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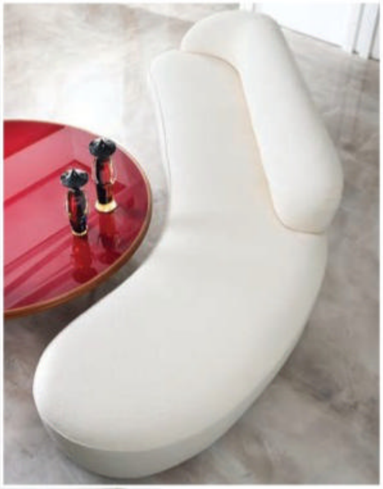
ABOVE: A pair of 1950s lounge chairs with spindled backrests by French designers Guillerme et Chambron

indoor salon and garden for the large-scale fountains, statuaries, planters, flooring, and other imported goods Authentic Provence is well-known for, as well as an adjacent space called AP Mid Century Modern, where the focus is on original twentieth century European furniture, lighting, and paintings and other artworks from Italy, France, Scandinavia, and the United States. That means a visit here can yield finds like a circa-1900 hand-carved marble table from a long-gone Parisian bistro or an original Vladimir Kagan settee from the 1950s.

"Our vision has finally been realized," says Susan. "[These new galleries will] allow us to share an authentic European lifestyle through the goods we have so carefully collected over the years." *authenticprovence.com*



ABOVE: A midcentury-modern era curved settee designed by Vladimir Kagan

Located in Authentic Provence's new AP Mid Century Modern gallery, two 1960s-era Italian chairs with white bouclé upholstery share space with a 1985 abstract oil painting by Daniel Clesse and a steel sculpture (1960-1970) by June Barrington-Ward.

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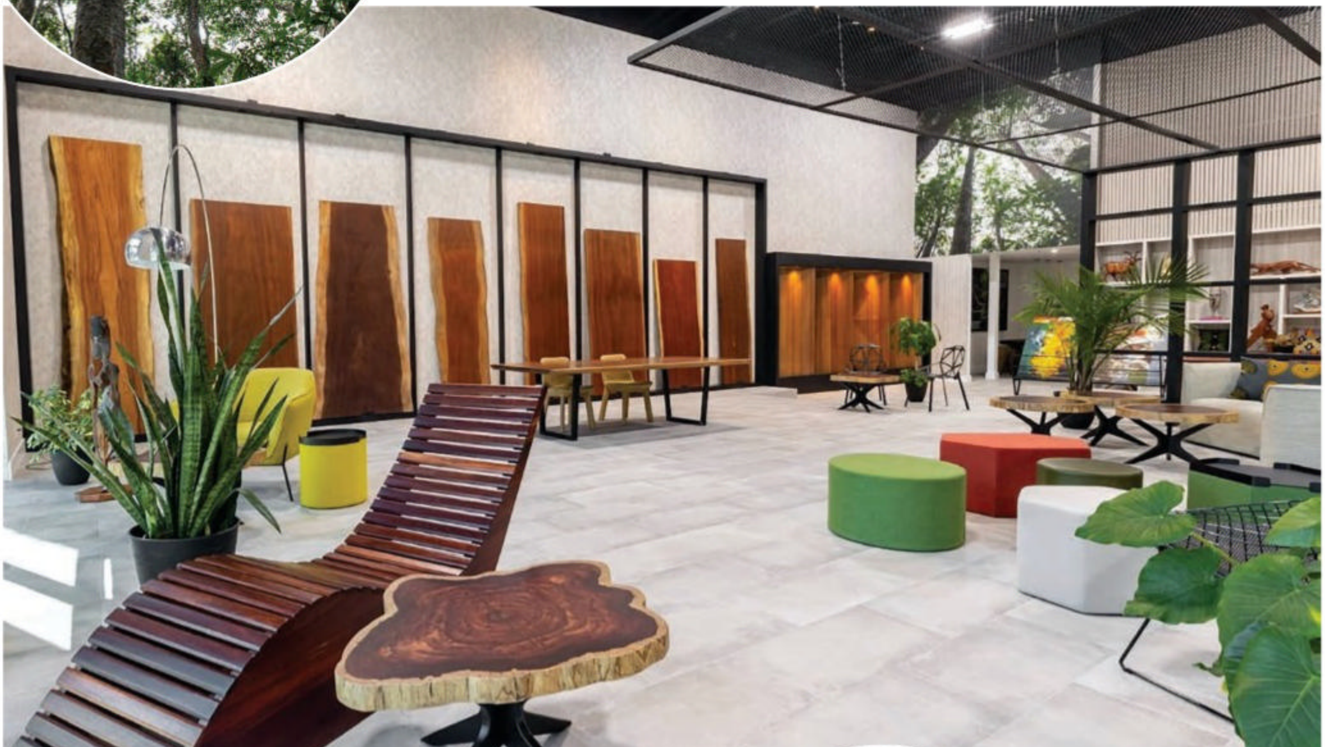
LEFT: Wallpaper featuring imagery from forests in Gabon



Akiba's on-site inventory includes wood furniture for use indoors and out.

LEFT: *Edzing,* a wood sculpture symbolizing love

Although many other South Florida-based showrooms would like to make this claim, the new Akiba location at 1941 Tigertail Avenue in Dania Beach is offering something unprecedented in these shores.

The new 6,500-square-foot store boasts a one-of-a-kind inventory with pieces that hail from Gabon and other Central African nations. The focus here is on three main product lines: organic-shaped, live-edge style slabs for dining and occasional tabletops (some of which, like the Kevazingo, can retail for as much as $42,000), contemporary wood furniture (including tables and chairs that are resistant to termites and other pests), and artisanal offerings (such as animal and warrior sculptures, tribal masks, and art) from Gabonese creatives.

The best part? The brand collaborates with various authorities to ensure its goods are ethically sourced and socially responsible. *akibafurniture.com*

ABOVE: A close-up of one of Akiba's live-edge slabs

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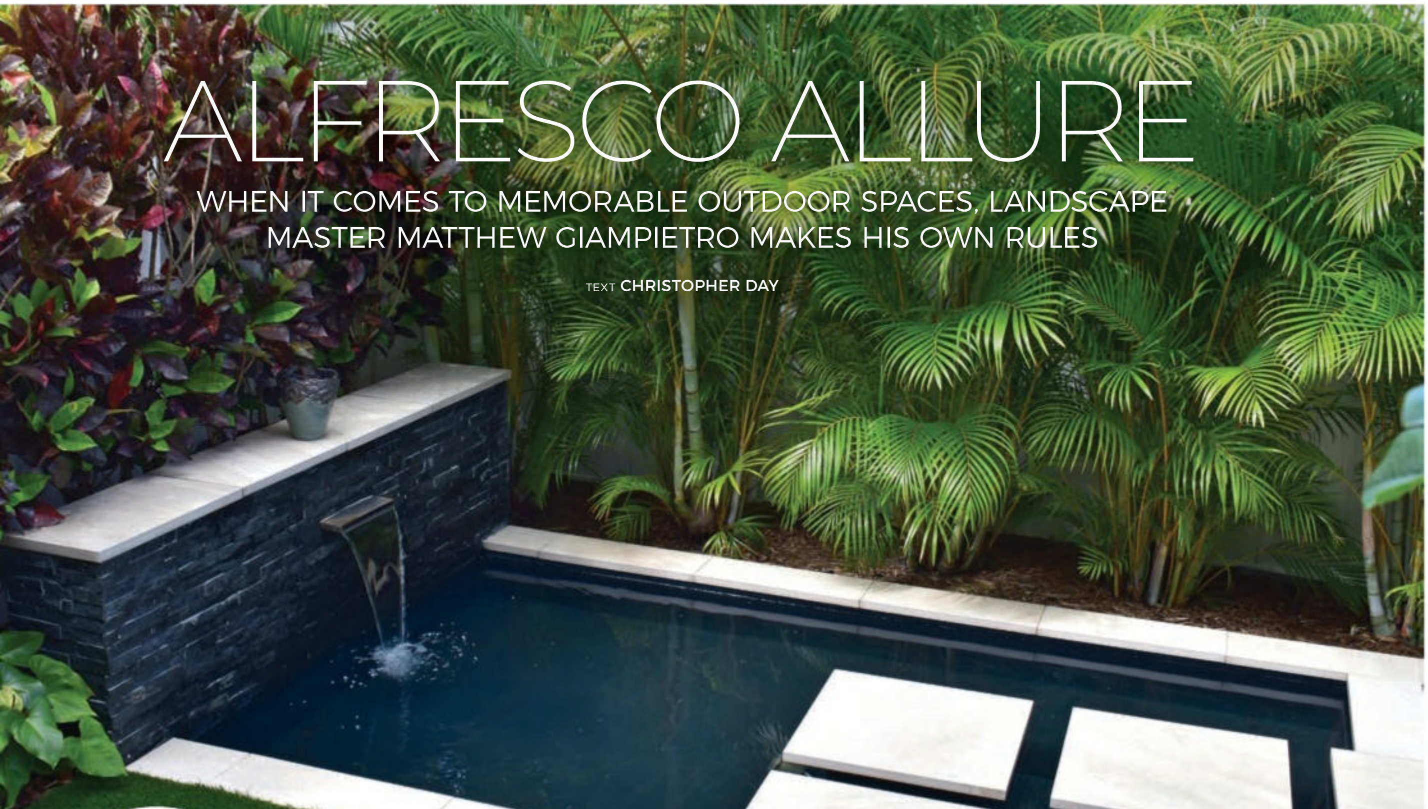
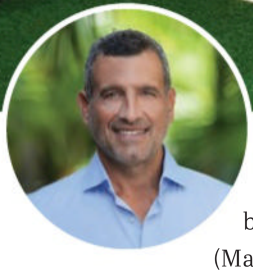
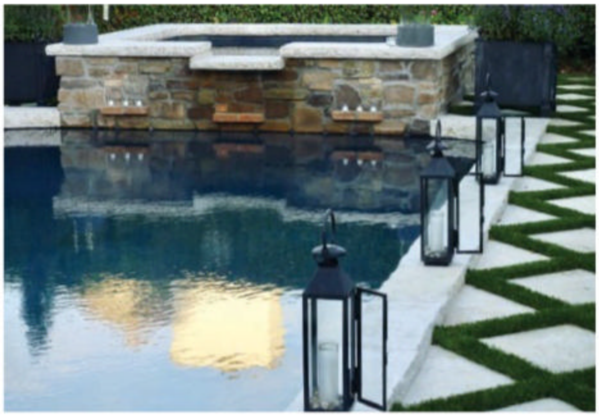




ABOVE: "The pool fountain is the focal point of this small backyard space," says Giampietro. "We installed that because we wanted the subtle and soothing sound of water. To complement the pool's sleek and modern design, we selected plants with bold foliage and strong colors to create clean lines." FAR LEFT: Matthew Giampietro

With two successful Broward-based companies to his name (Matthew Giampietro Garden Design in Fort Lauderdale, and Waterfalls, Fountains & Gardens in Lauderdale-by-the-Sea), Connecticut native Matthew Giampietro has become one of Florida's go-to masters for spectacular outdoor spaces since planting roots here in 2003. With projects all over the state and New England, the landscape wiz is well-versed in dream gardens where no detail is overlooked. Here, he shares some insight on the alfresco features he's perfected throughout his career. *matthewgiampietro.com; waterfallsinflorida.com*



LEFT: "The edging materials in this pool become the focus of the design," says Giampietro. "We used synthetic grass in between the joints of the coral limestone to create a diamond pattern that complements the Mediterranean architecture of the house."

Pool Principles

Florida gardens seem incomplete without a pool. And whether it's a minimalist tub or a jungle-like lagoon, nothing ruins the experience like the wrong plant life around it. In terms of that, Giampietro suggests coastal vegetation that's salt tolerant (for saltwater pools) and sturdy specimens that can take water saturation and some exposure to chlorine. As for grass? Giampietro says to go faux: "Natural grass is challenging, even in small spaces. Technology has come a long way and there are realistic options with fine texture that work very well in Florida gardens, particularly with modern and contemporary designs." In terms of stone selection? "We tend to go natural with coral, flagstone, quartzite, and marble," says Giampietro. "And when it comes to safety, I find that non-slip porcelain pavers are best."

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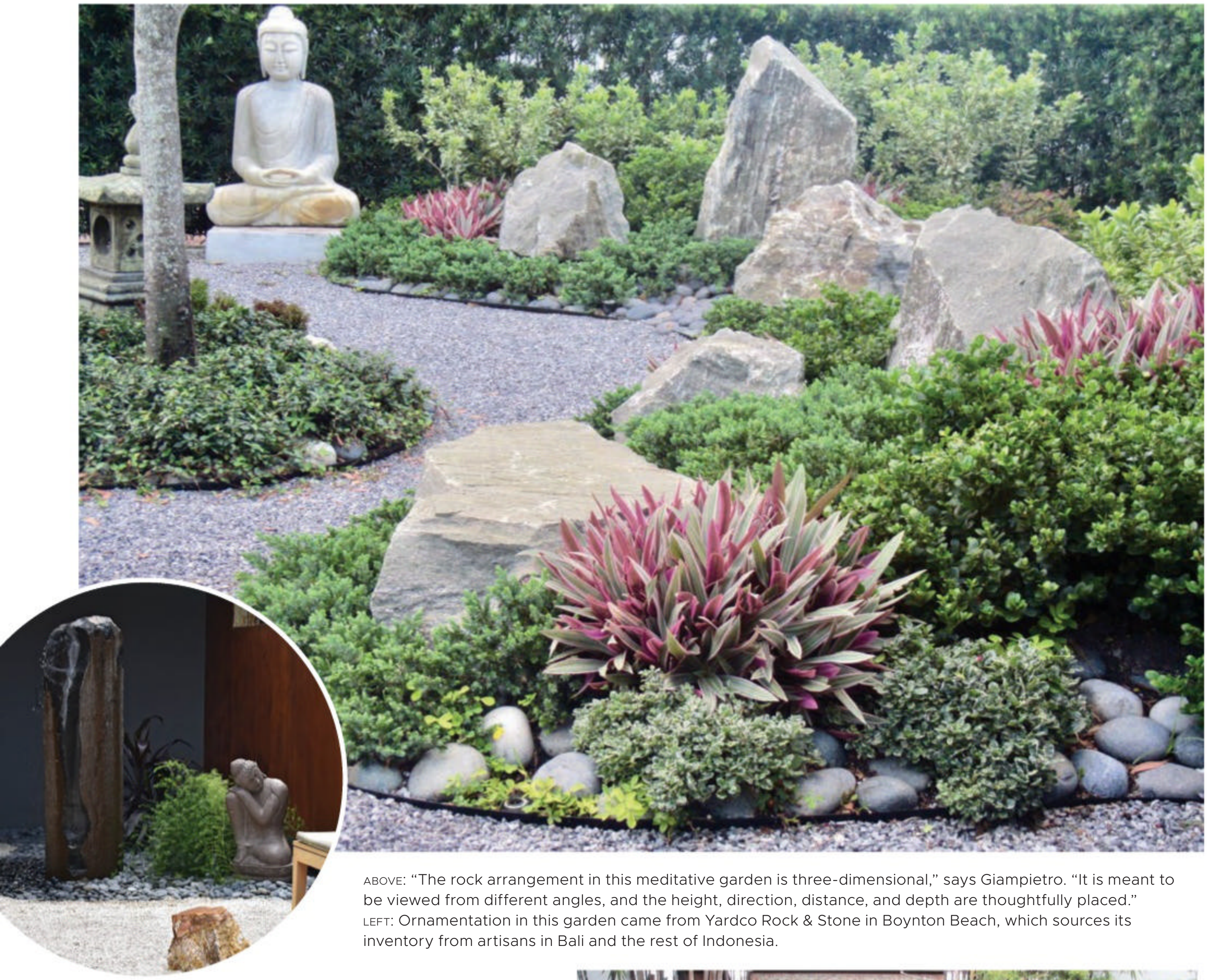
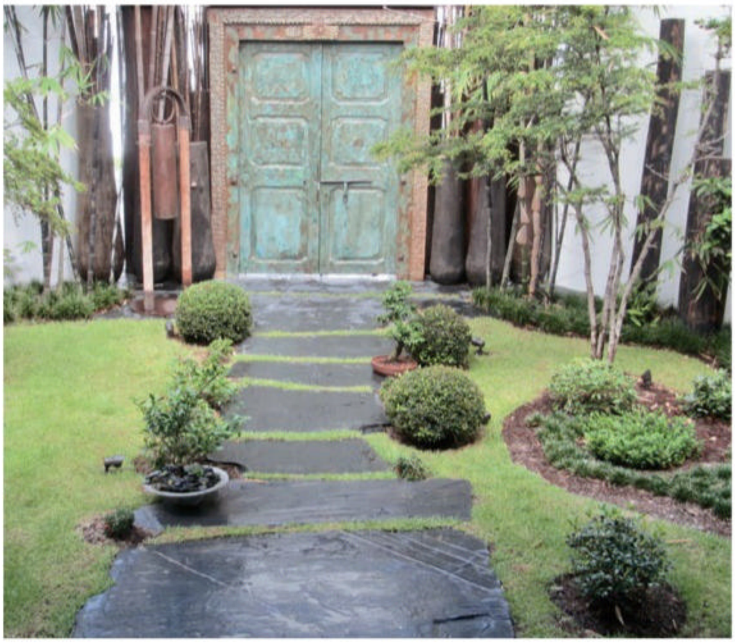


ABOVE: "The rock arrangement in this meditative garden is three-dimensional," says Giampietro. "It is meant to be viewed from different angles, and the height, direction, distance, and depth are thoughtfully placed."
LEFT: Ornamentation in this garden came from Yardco Rock & Stone in Boynton Beach, which sources its inventory from artisans in Bali and the rest of Indonesia.

Asian Sentiments

"I spent time studying Japanese gardens in Kyoto and I've loved incorporating them into my practice," says Giampietro. These Zen spaces are ideal for Florida's climate, provided homeowners follow one key rule: using native plants that will not overgrow their space. "We often select plants that have more of a northern appearance for these spaces," says Giampietro. "Juniper or sedums are common, and I like to use variegated pittosporum, Indian hawthorn, Green Island Ficus, Eugenia, and ilex as well." Small trees with beautiful branching habits, like lignum vitae, Simpson's stopper, and cassia, are also ideal."



ABOVE: "Proper placement of sculptural elements is key," says Giampietro. "The wall at the back was painted and textured to resemble Corten steel."

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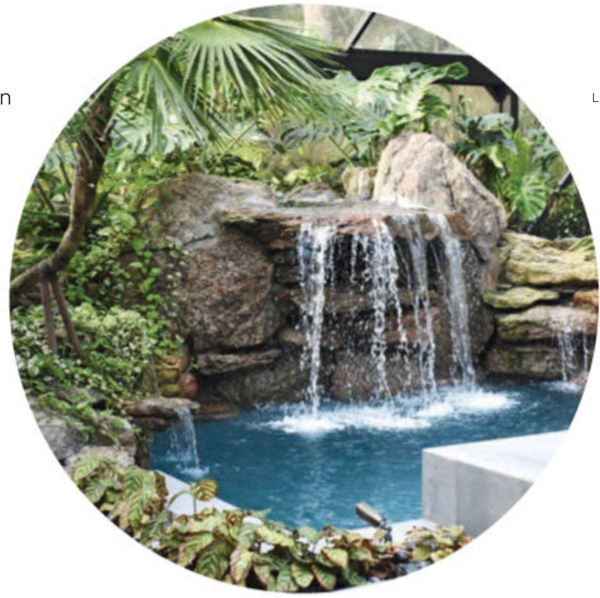
ABOVE: Quartzite boulders from North Carolina and a mix of cat palms, allamanda vines, and Ligustrum trees infuse this lagoon-style pool with natural charm.

Chasing Waterfalls

Anyone who's seen a natural one can attest to the bewitching allure of waterfalls. What makes them such attractive pool features? "They add a sense of movement and sound, and they can be the focal point of the landscape, or just a subtle accent," says Giampietro. "A tasteful, well-designed waterfall can be a beautiful addition. It's all about the placement, scale, and sound. Incorporating vegetation is key to make them look natural and not overbearing."



LEFT: "Some of the granite stones in this pool installation weigh up to 6,000 pounds," says Giampietro. "Safety is always a priority, of course, but I always push the boundaries when it comes to aesthetics."

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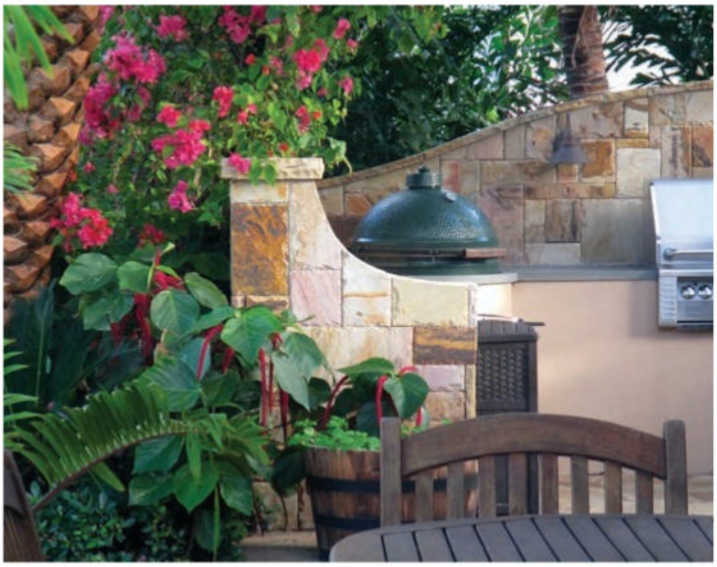
Surprises and Extras

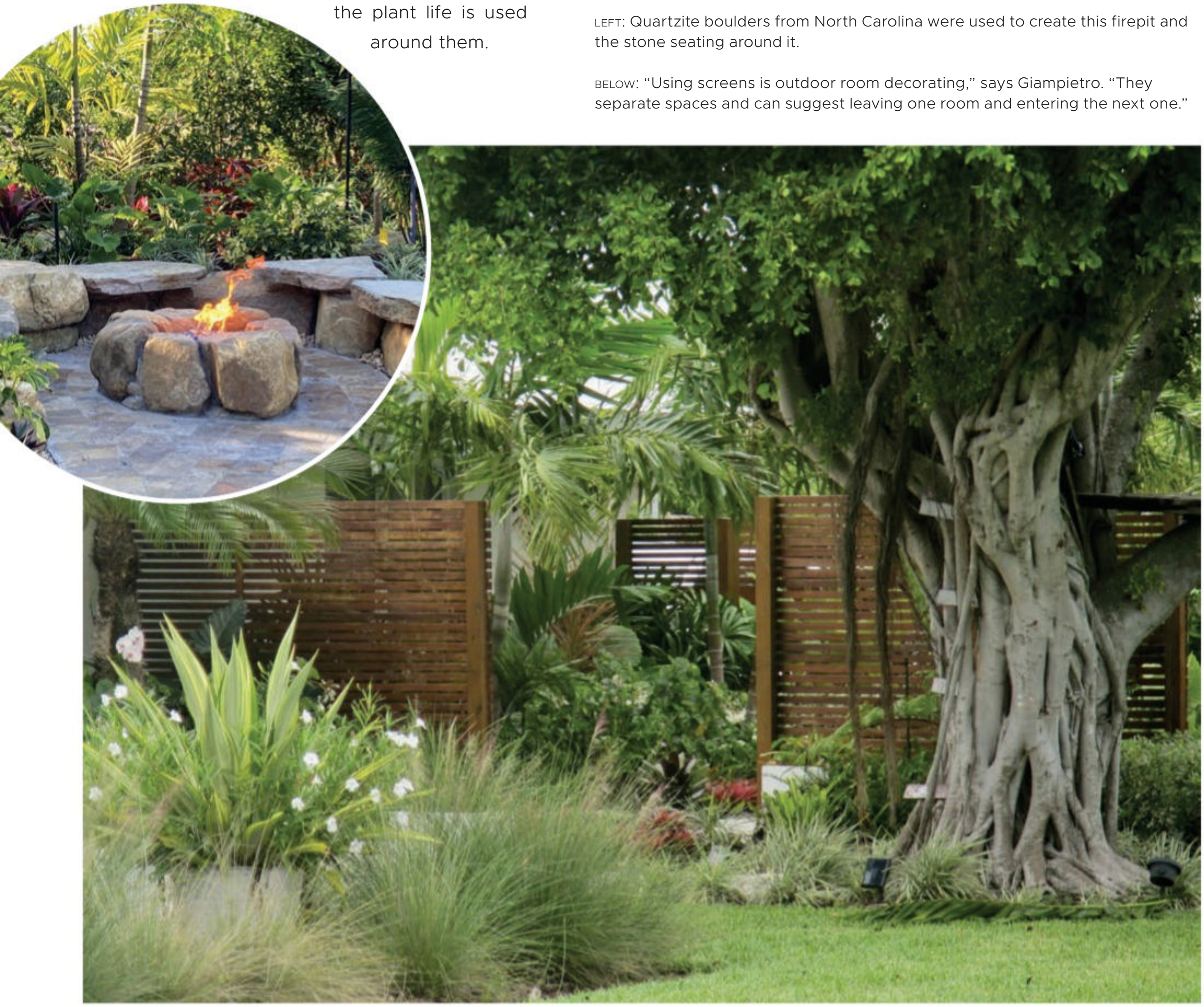
What's a garden without some visual intrigue and creature comforts? These days, outdoor kitchens that can withstand the elements are de rigueur, especially for use during our mild winters when dining alfresco becomes more commonplace from Miami to Jacksonville. Even more engaging and convivial are firepits, which encourage socializing. For these and other additions involving fire, Giampietro suggests extra space to avoid any mishaps. In terms of privacy, consider screens, which can add another layer to the garden design and help to create effects depending on how the plant life is used around them.



ABOVE: Weather-resistant outdoor kitchens without shelter are becoming standard features in Florida landscape design.

LEFT: Quartzite boulders from North Carolina were used to create this firepit and the stone seating around it.

BELOW: "Using screens is outdoor room decorating," says Giampietro. "They separate spaces and can suggest leaving one room and entering the next one."



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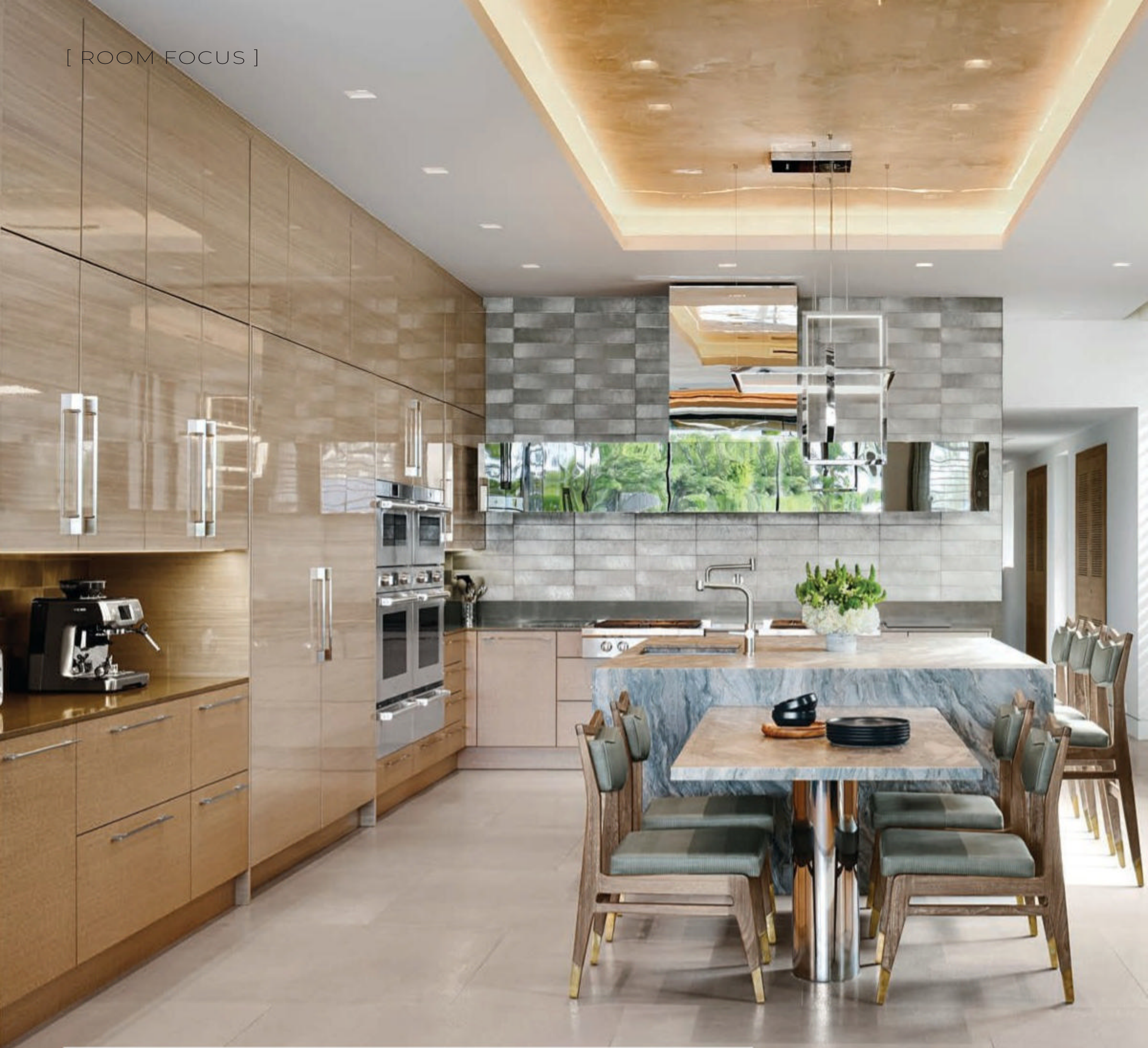

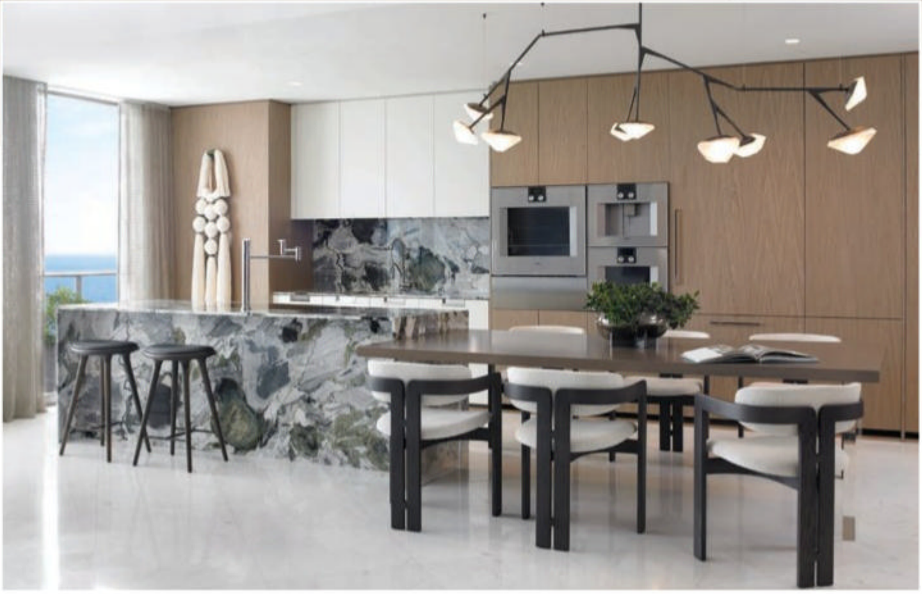

LEFT: Designers David Miranda and Diana Uribe of **DIDA HOME** like to infuse personality from foyer to primary bedroom. The kitchen is fair game too. This one features a Caralarga wall weaving near the window that nods to the homeowners' Latin American lineage. As for that striking marble island? Custom, of course.

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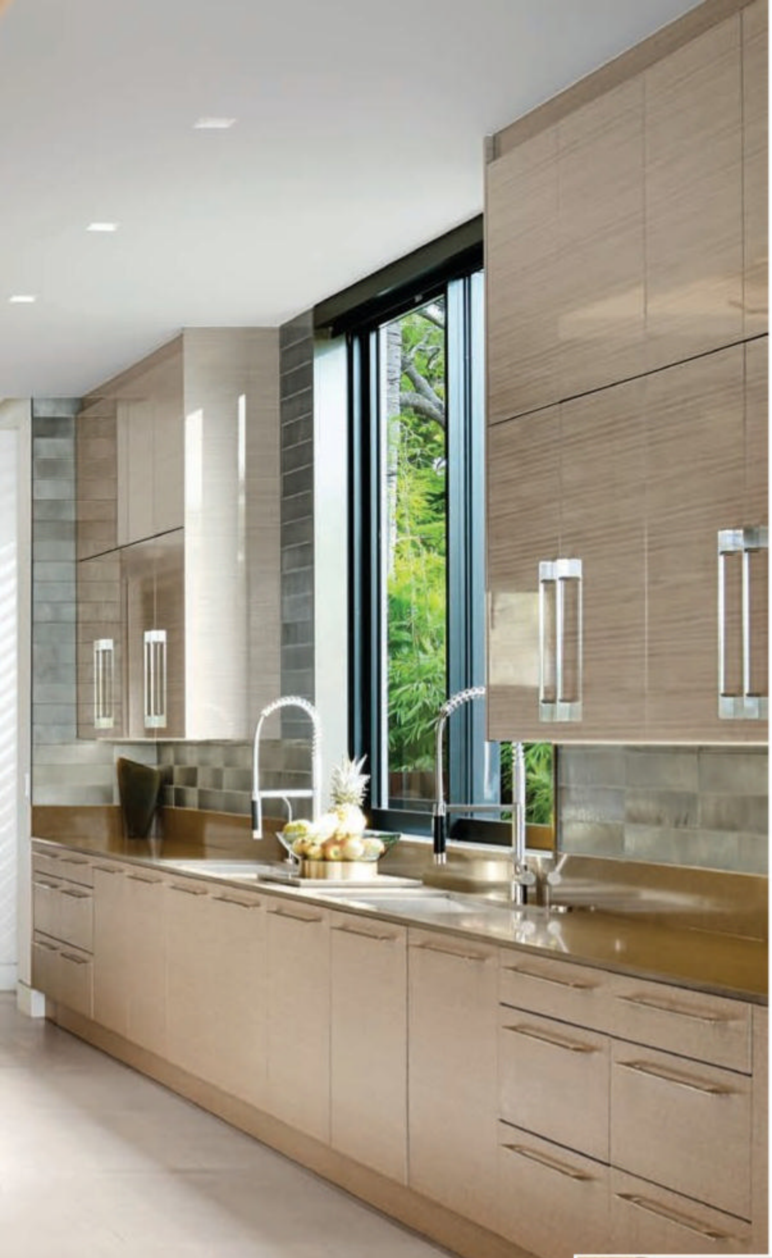


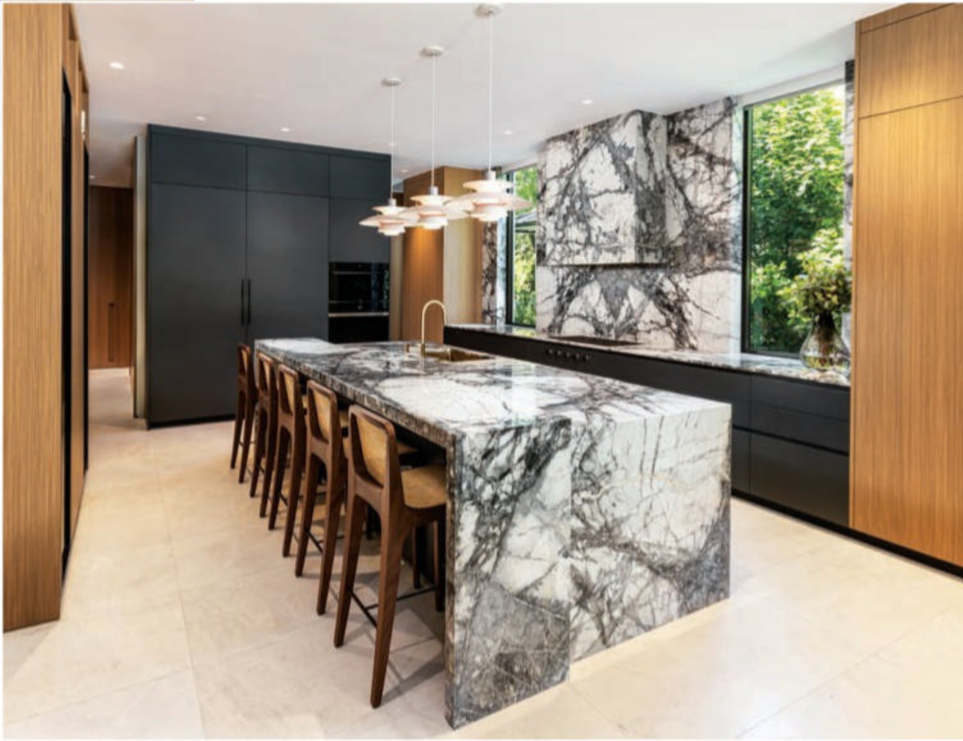
Kitchen Reverential

THE HOME'S MAIN HUB GETS THE RESPECT IT DESERVES

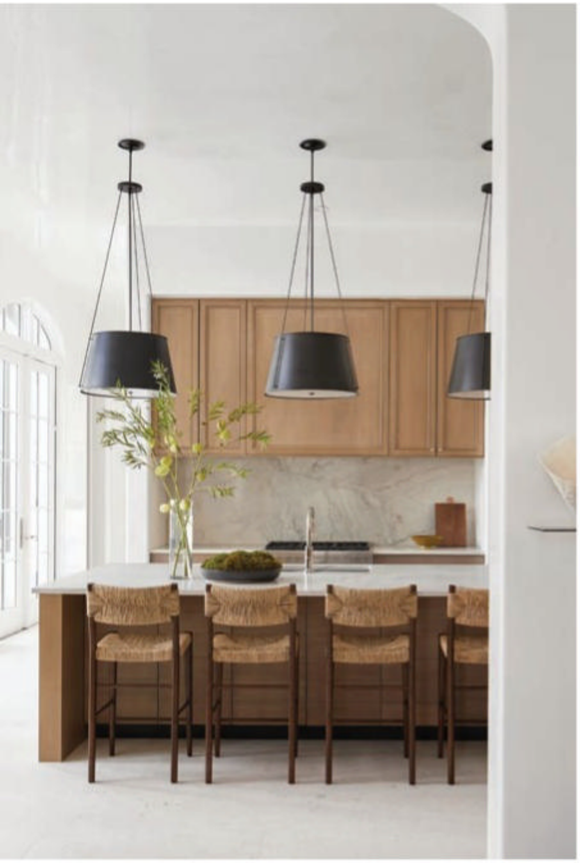
TEXT CHRISTOPHER DAY

We cook in them. We laugh in them. We count down the days until the end of a pandemic in them. And we do those things all over again the next day. As the kitchen continues to serve as the soul of the home, we offer a portfolio of this multipurpose room by design talents from across Florida and the U.S., as well as a look at the latest offerings from top brands and manufacturers.

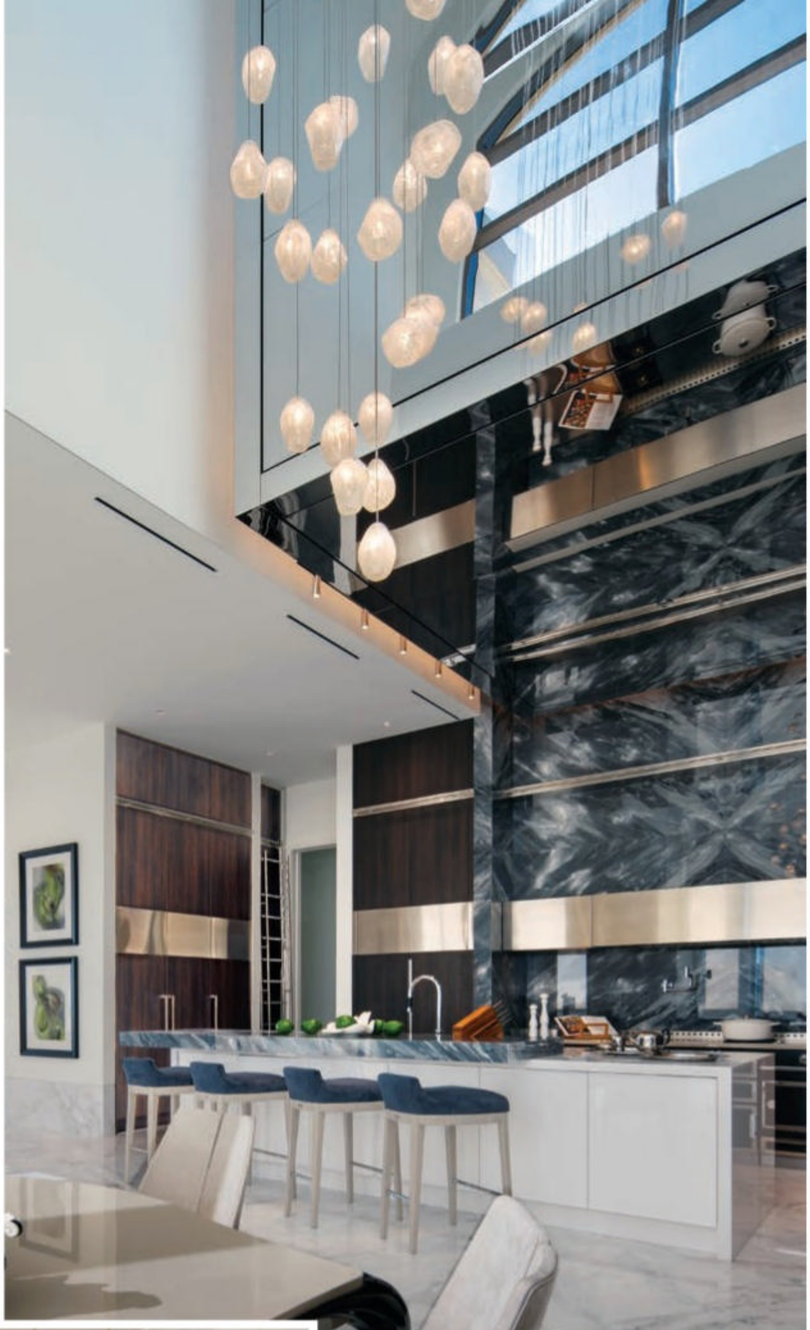
LEFT: In this **NORM WOGAN**-designed kitchen in Miami Beach, Studio Becker cabinetry lines the room with white oak uppers in a high-gloss, green-gray finish. White oak styles the island, which is topped with leathered fusion quartzite that looks like earth and water mixing together.



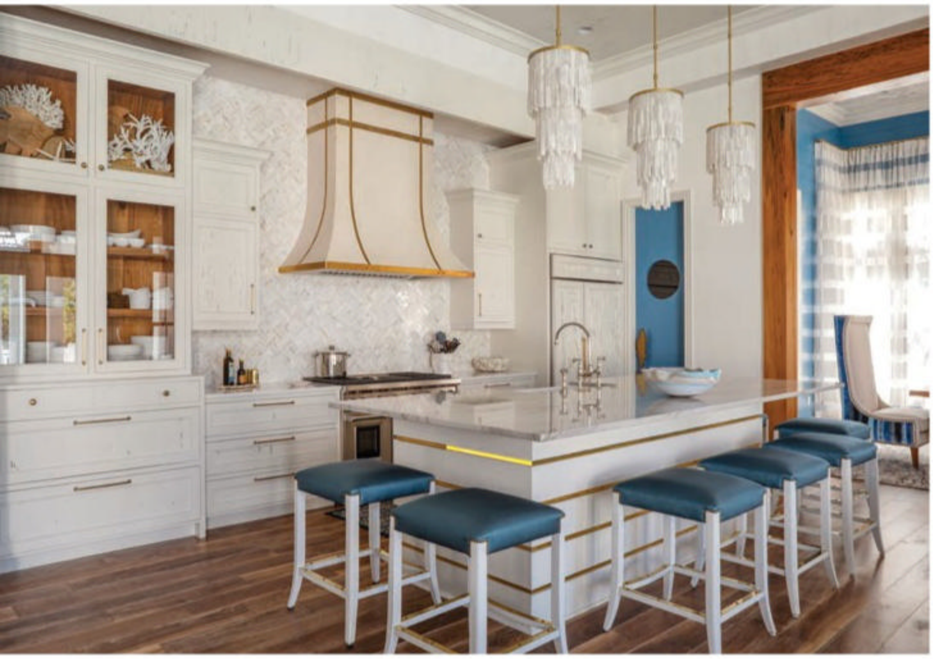
RIGHT: This kitchen by **LUCIANA FRAGALI** is outfitted in a modern gray and walnut wood palette with polished marble that's used in the backsplash and the waterfall island. Streamlined gray custom cabinetry by MiaCucina all but disappears, keeping the space clean and contemporary.



ABOVE: Custom-designed by the team at **DAVID FRAZIER**, oak cabinetry and island accents give this contemporary Alys Beach kitchen its refined yet beachy aesthetic. Natural rush bar stools from Serena & Lily echo the textured woven style of the dining room chairs, while three pendant lights from Urban Electric provide a dynamic focal point for the room.



ABOVE: Bookmatched Bardiglio marble climbs the wall in the kitchen of this Sunny Isles Beach residence designed by **STA ARCHITECTURAL GROUP**. Barstools clad in blue-gray suede by FENDI Casa pull up to the island.



LEFT: Clad in white Macaubus quartzite, the island in this Watercolor kitchen by **LOVELACE INTERIORS** is flanked by stools covered in blue vinyl. Selenite pendant lights and a coordinating mosaic backsplash create a juxtaposition against the pecky cypress cabinets. The blue pantry door with its fish-shaped pull lends a playful touch of whimsy.

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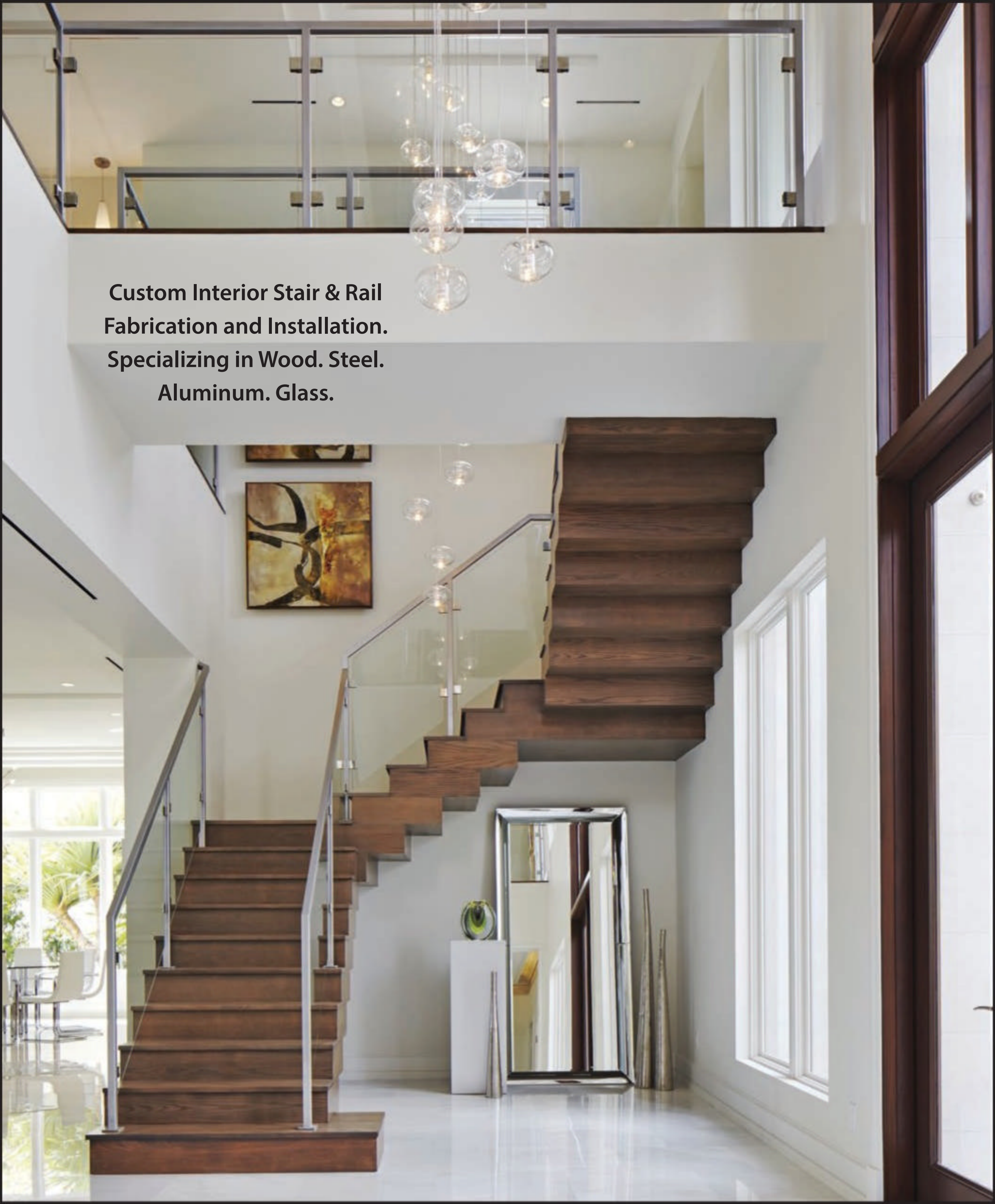

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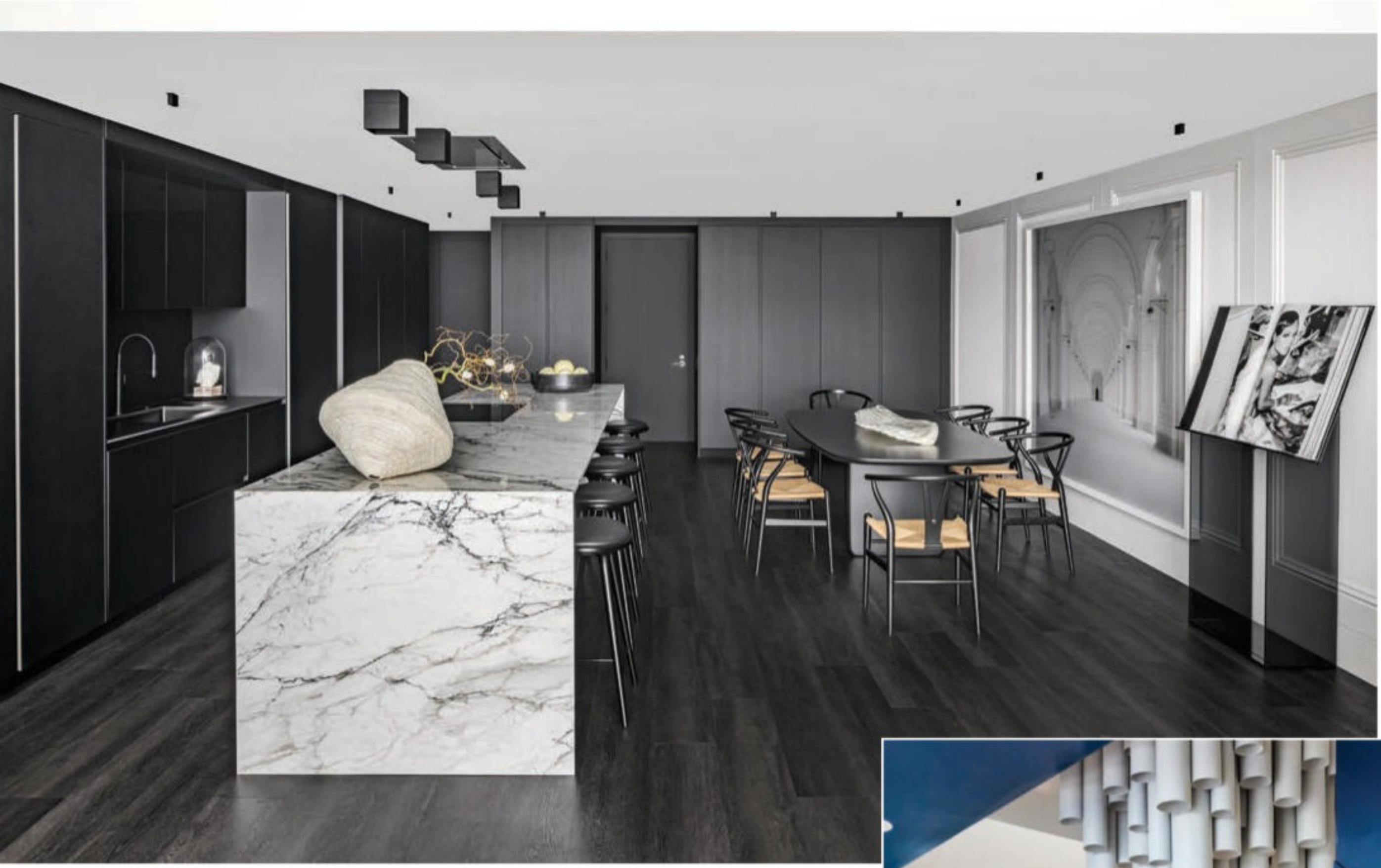
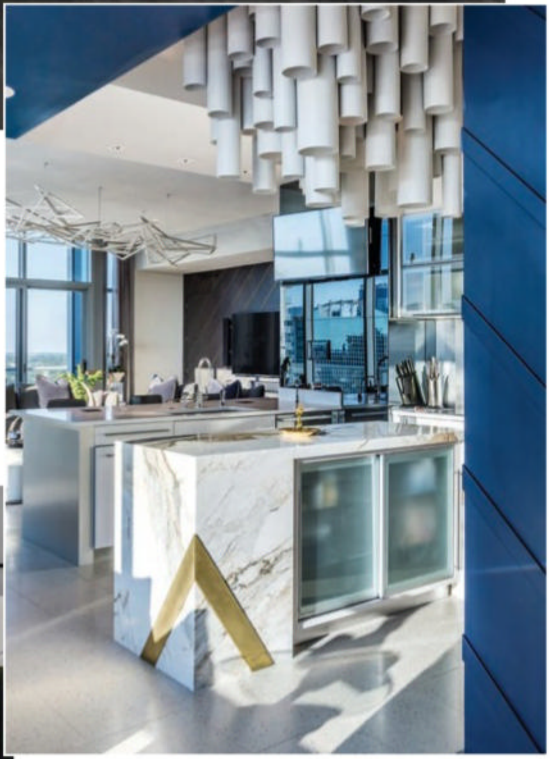
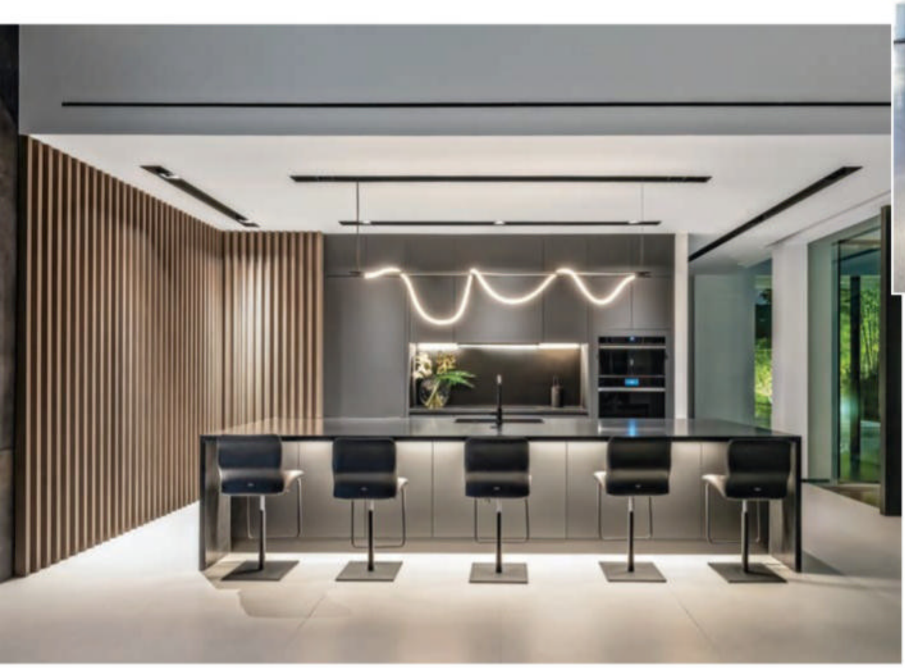




ABOVE: The fashion sensibilities in the Miami kitchen of designers Brett Sugerman and Giselle Loor of **B+G DESIGN** are impossible to miss. A photograph by Massimo Listri makes a powerful statement behind a black Minotti dining table and shapely Wishbone chairs, while a 14-foot island made from book-matched Paonazzetto marble offers quite the architectural moment.

BELOW: For the chef's kitchen in this residence by **THE DECORATORS UNLIMITED**, the design team employed matte black cabinetry with no handles and honed black granite for the countertops. The LED light fixture by Luke Lamp Co. was chosen because it reminded the homeowner of Wonder Woman's lasso.



ABOVE: For the kitchen of this downtown Orlando residence, designer **REGINALD DUNLAP** opted for a Calacatta gold marble island that centers the culinary space. A custom chandelier designed by Dunlap and fabricated by Qui Design introduces a futuristic element.

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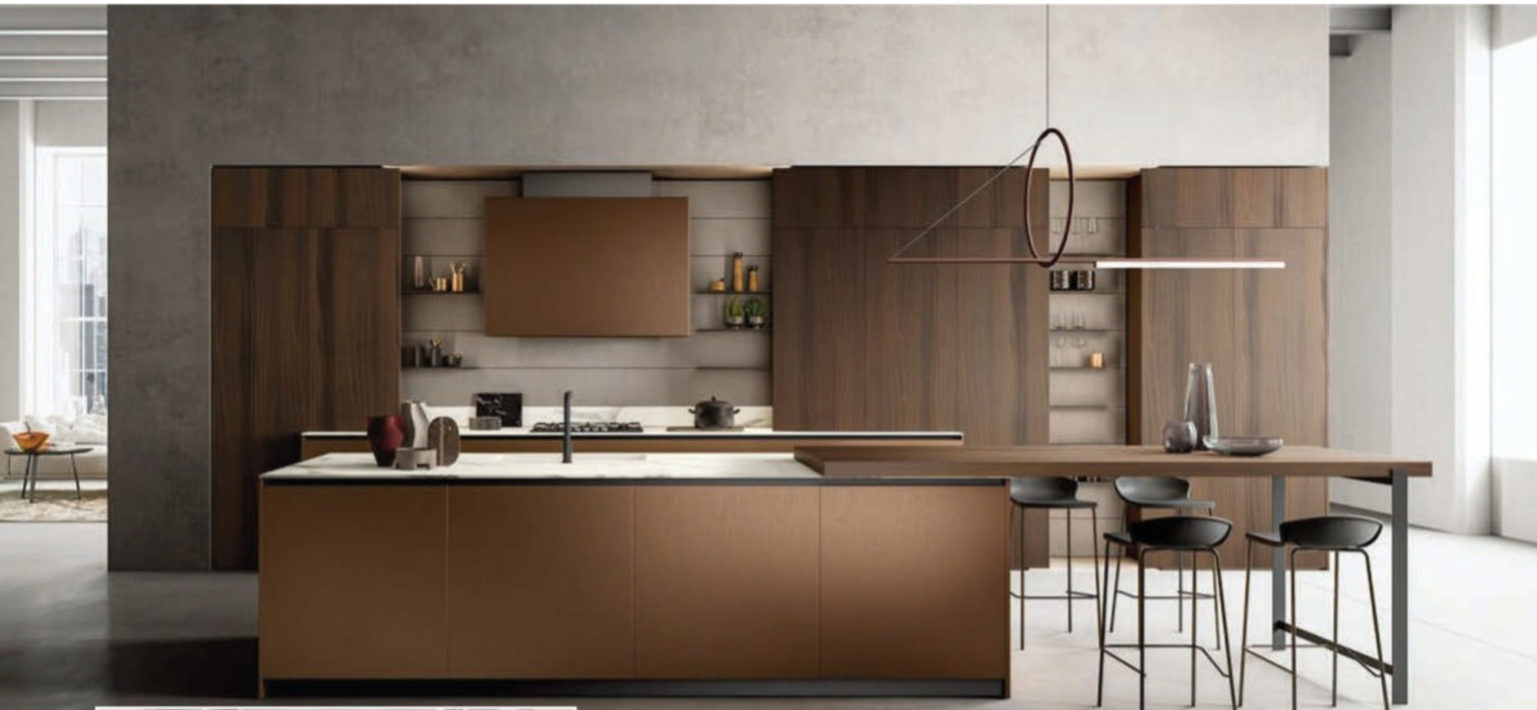
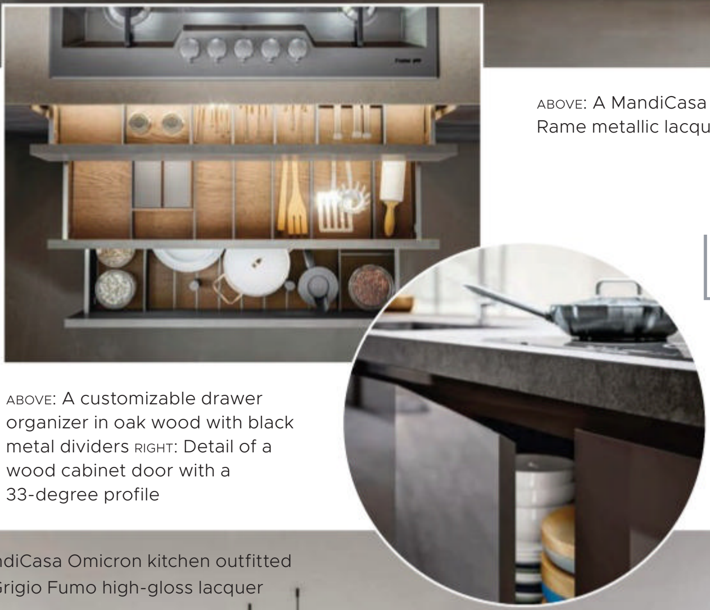


ABOVE: A MandiCasa Omicron kitchen outfitted with Rovere Thermo wood veneer and Rame metallic lacquer, which gives the cabinets the look of brushed sheet metal



ABOVE: A customizable drawer organizer in oak wood with black metal dividers RIGHT: Detail of a wood cabinet door with a 33-degree profile

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A MandiCasa Omicron kitchen outfitted with Grigio Fumo high-gloss lacquer

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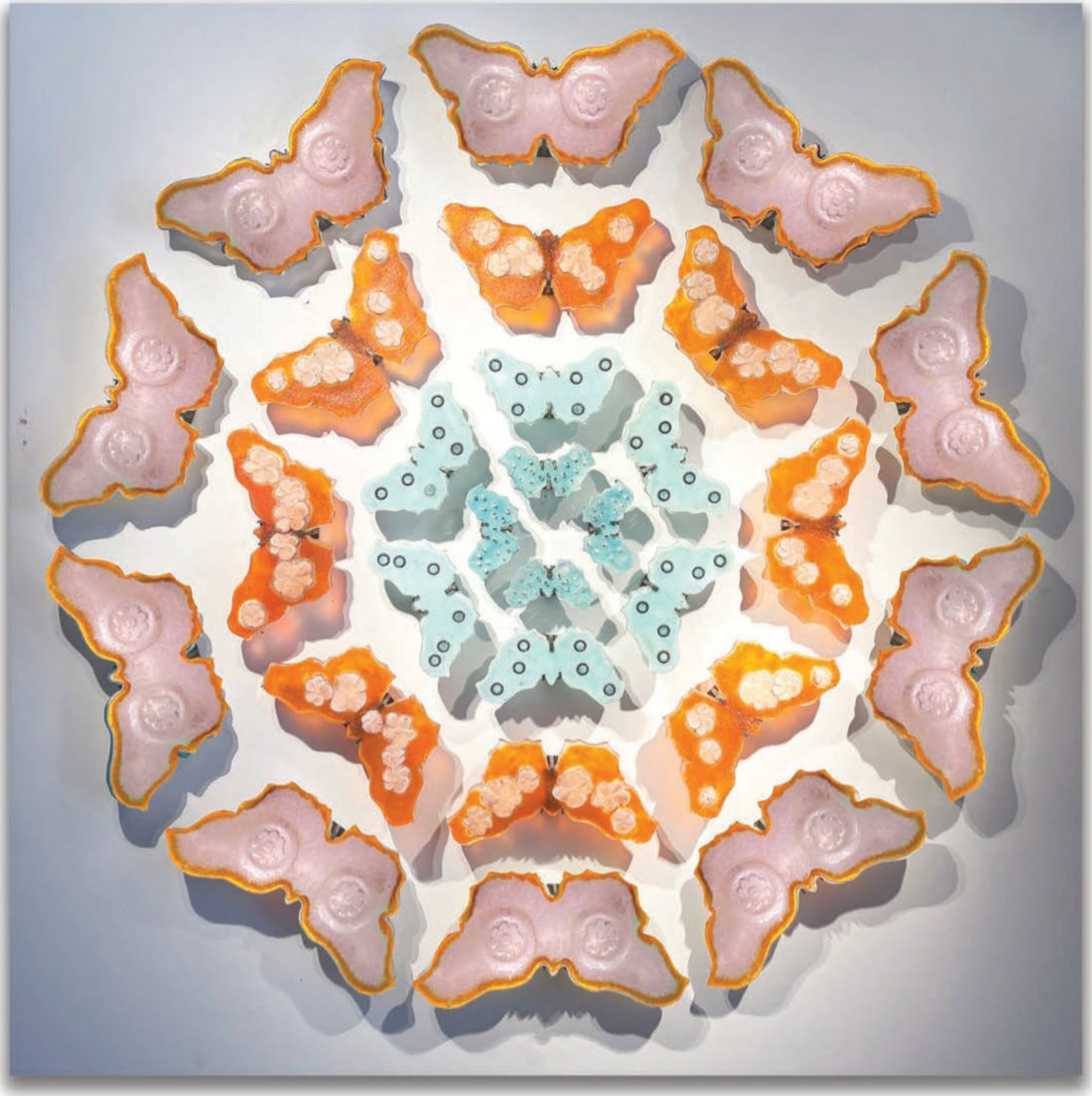

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EGGERSMANN'S THE WORKS COLLECTION LIVES UP TO ITS NAME

Eggersmann was founded more than 100 years ago with one main mission: Every kitchen should be as individual as its owner. One of the brand's latest collections, The Works, certainly takes that mantra seriously. Short for workshop, this kitchen system focuses first on the arrangement of tools and ergonomic distances that are required to achieve the most productive environment. Of course, that doesn't mean aesthetics take a backseat. The Works collection is marked by fine woods and stones that beg to be touched. After all, as Eggersmann sees it, making dinner should be as enjoyable as consuming it. *eggersmannusa.com*

ABOVE: Custom options for The Works kitchen system include woods and stones that range from neutral creams (as seen here) to dark and moody browns and blues.

RIGHT: An adjustable island slab allows for more surface space, whether for food prepping or other uses.

ABOVE: Deep sinks are part of The Works' appeal.

LEFT: The Works kitchen system features an entire wall that transforms into a multi-functioning system with a pantry and plenty of room for accessories.

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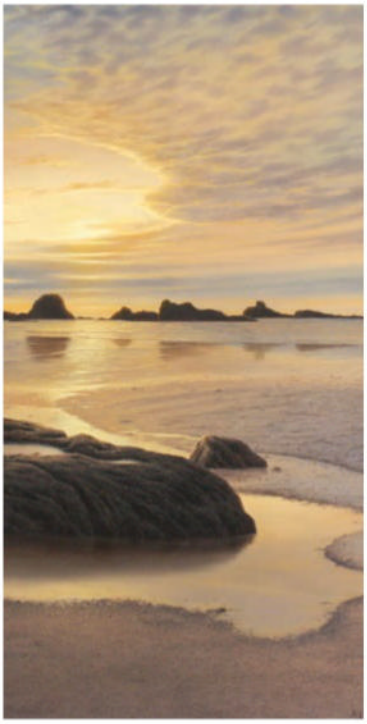

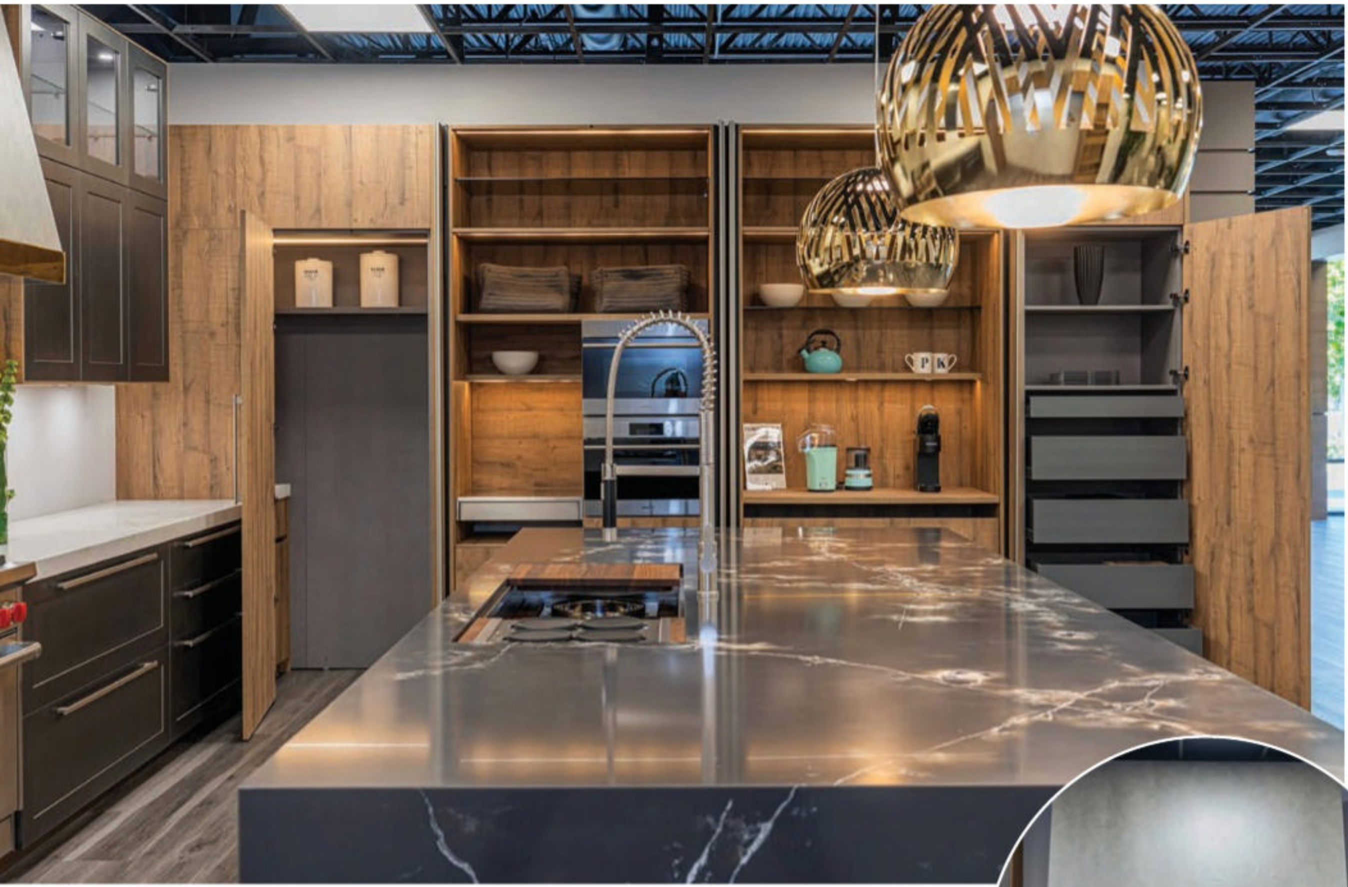

ABOVE AND BELOW: The Arrital Collection kitchen from Premium Kitchens features a stainless-steel pull-out countertop, a 48-inch workstation with integrated sink, a hidden pantry, and an appliance garage with pocket doors.

International Flair

PREMIUM KITCHENS BALANCES EUROPEAN FINESSE WITH ALL-AMERICAN EXPECTATIONS

ABOVE: Custom leather-wrapped hood with polished brass detail

BELOW: A bronze-framed shelving unit with ample space for crystal of various shapes and sizes

Premium Kitchens founder Thierry Pigeot had an idea many years ago: to build an international brand based on the Italian attention to detail, topped with French accents, all within the “American Dream” kitchen. He’s been putting those words into action since arriving in the United States in 2013, and Florida designers have been relying on them since the brand opened its first South Florida showroom in 2013. Like all its other systems, PK’s Arrital Collection kitchen (featured here) offers a combination of tailored space planning, expertly chosen appliances, massive amounts of moving parts, superior woods and stones, and detail, details, details. *premiumkitchens.com*

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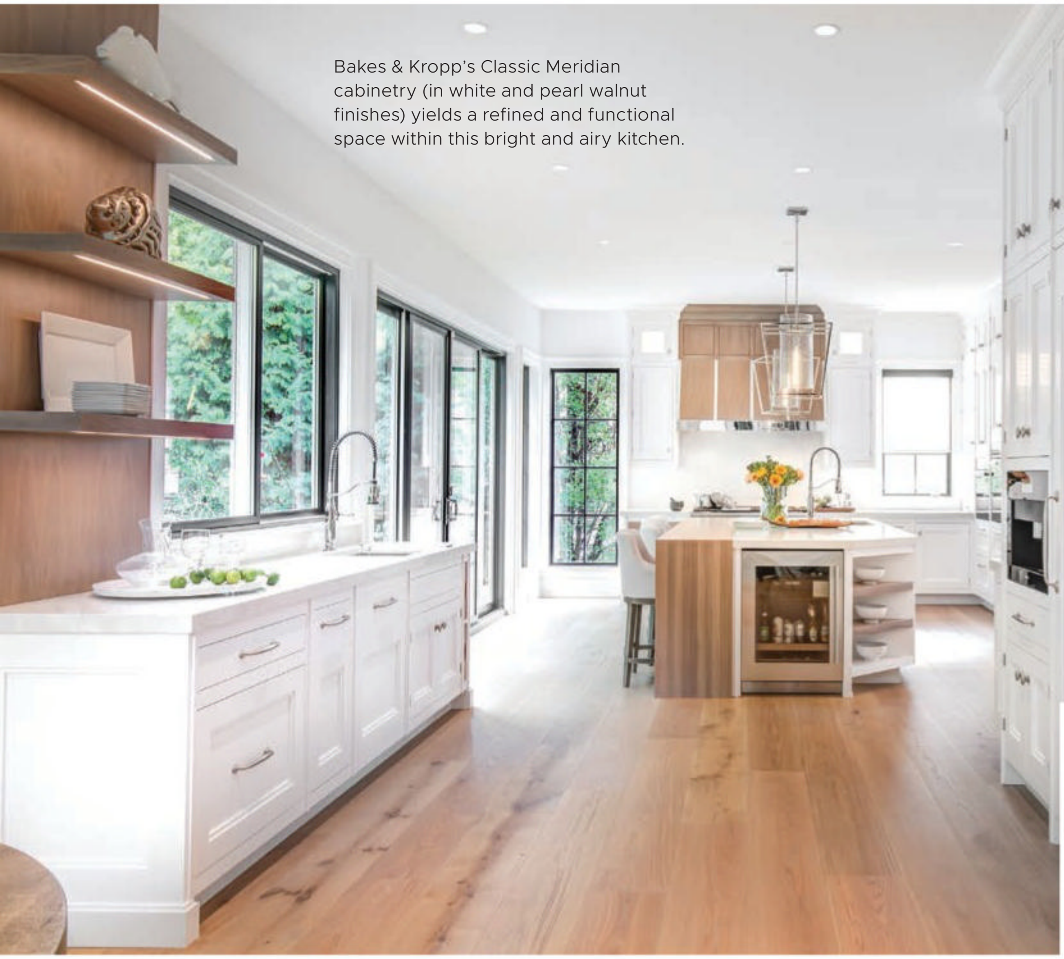

Bakes & Kropp's Classic Meridian cabinetry (in white and pearl walnut finishes) yields a refined and functional space within this bright and airy kitchen.

RIGHT: Fine cabinetry cleverly conceals a cork and memo board.

Room to Grow

WHEN IT COMES TO OPTIMIZING KITCHEN SPACE, LOOK NO FURTHER THAN BAKES & KROPP

New to Florida with a showroom in West Palm Beach, Bakes & Kropp is the sum of its founders' efforts. The luxury kitchen design and manufacturing company has become a major industry player thanks to the design expertise of Bob Bakes and the craftsmanship knowledge of Paul Kropp. Together, these two men bring us kitchen systems that combine functional design with eye-catching aesthetics that will remain timeless for years to come. Case in point: The Virginia kitchen showcased here, which is marked by built-in lighting within cabinetry that shines on the finished wood grain and brightens respective prep spaces. A walnut waterfall island solidifies the primary cooking and entertaining space. Satin and polished nickel accents dress the cabinetry and custom-sloped range hood, tying elements together within the large open space. *bakesandkropp.com*

LEFT: Custom built-in produce baskets keep fruits and vegetables within easy reach.

BELOW: A custom spice drawer helps optimize storage.

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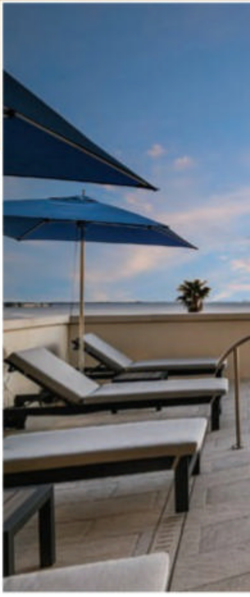
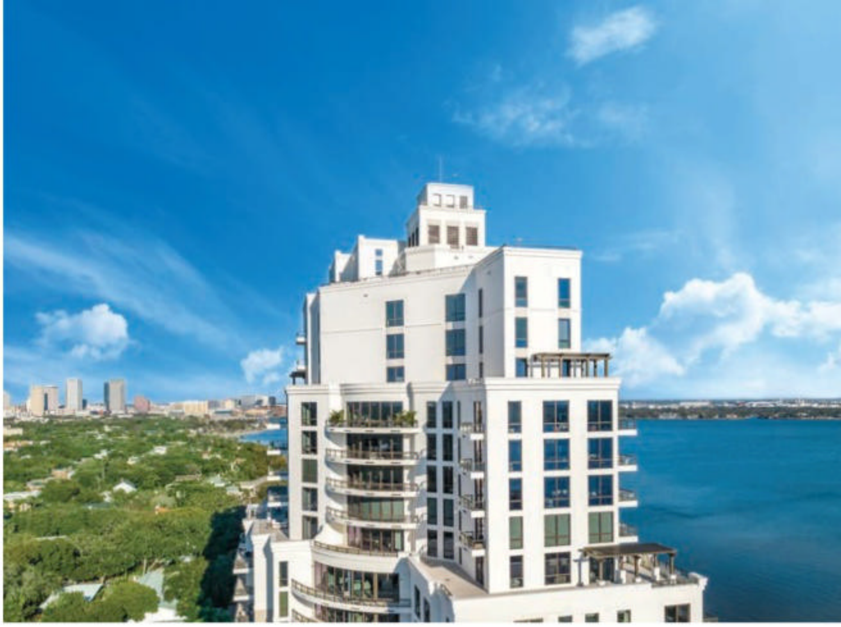
The building's club room boasts a contemporary design vibe enhanced by vistas of Hillsborough Bay.



"The idea for the lobby was to create a very rich sense of entry and place," says designer Jack Lonetto. "The lobby acts as a foyer for every guest, so developing a sense of grandeur and tailored details was important."



ABOVE: Hyde Park House rises like a modern castle in the Tampa neighborhood for which it is named.

Dating back to 1891 and revered for its nineteenth-century architecture and tree-lined streets, Tampa's Hyde Park neighborhood is often cited as one of Florida's best places to live. That means the stakes were high when Kolter Urban set out to develop Hyde Park House, a 22-story tower with 70 waterfront residences that now rises in the Tampa skyline as a tribute to one of the state's most exclusive enclaves.

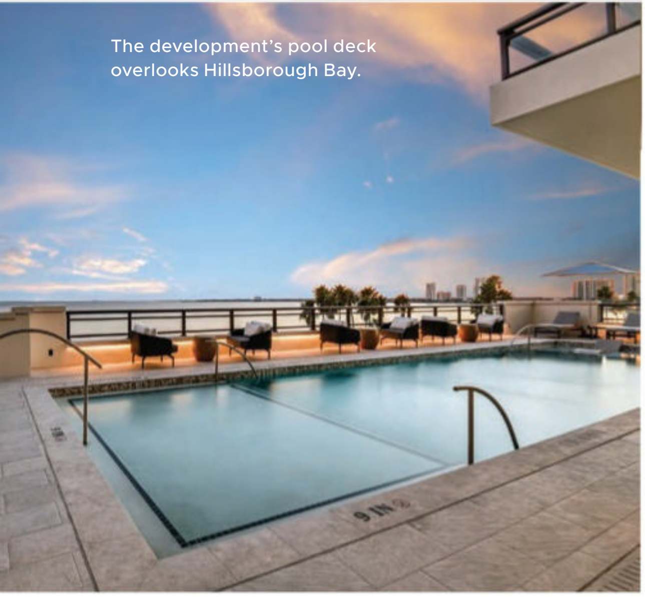
"Our approach was to discover architectural features unique to the surrounding Hyde Park community and employ those as key design drivers," says Stefano Falbo, vice president and associate principal of SB Architects, the firm tasked with the structural design. "Our goal was to create a state-of-the-art building that balances the neighborhood identity with past traditions."

Easier said than done, but Hyde Park House's tall façade does just that with 22 stories that ascend in a series of gracefully receding tiers that resemble a castle. To ensure this distinguished aesthetic continued inside, Kolter Urban tapped the team at The Decorators Unlimited to handle the building's interior public spaces.

"A big inspiration for the design was the idea of capturing time itself," says Jack Lonetto, senior interior designer with The Decorators Unlimited. "We wanted design to serve as a bridge between the old and the new."

To that end, a modern interpretation of Art Deco saturates the property. Grandeur and tailored details set the tone in the lobby, a vast space marked by curvaceous furniture and abstract art. The club room continues that idea—albeit in a much more laid-back approach. Notable design features that immediately catch the eye include vertical fins meant to represent watch gears and a custom pattern that manipulates the Hyde Park House logo. The palette is neutral with soft pops of color. And when it comes to textures, rich walnut, antique brass, and mocha tiles were paired with gray-tone upholstery. The message is clear: This is what modern elegance looks like in 2023.

"Great historic buildings embrace the occupant, and respect and integrate nature," adds Falbo. "Hyde Park House is a prime illustration of this outlook." *kolterurban.com*



The development's pool deck overlooks Hillsborough Bay.

JIM DOVE STUDIO

"When I design a kitchen, I think of the space as a living room and the cabinetry as its furniture," says Jim Dove, who, with more than 25 years' experience, has created architecturally inspired, award-winning kitchens with top-of-the-line pieces in locations from California to Italy. He holds a master's degree in architecture from UCLA. Jim has appeared on NBC and HGTV and his work has been published in numerous publications including *Architectural Digest*, *Veranda*, *Galerie*, *Business of Home*, *Florida Design magazine*, and many more. Jim has won two Best of the Best

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Completed in December 2021 for the billionaire Jamaican-Canadian business magnate and philanthropist Michael Lee-Chin, *AHPO* was the undisputed star of this year's Miami Boat Show, where it was recently listed for a staggering $355 million.

ABOVE: *AHPO*'s informal, aft-deck entertaining space offers an abundance of comfy sofas, nautical teak decking, and wide-open views.

BELOW: The elegant main salon boasts design touches such as marble-topped tables in the shape of seashells and an elegant crystal chandelier.

Aquatic Ascension

COMPLETE WITH A TURKISH HAMMAM AND IMAX MOVIE THEATER, THE MAGNIFICENT *AHPO* IS A TESTAMENT TO UNAPOLOGETIC LUXURY AND OVER-THE-TOP DESIGN

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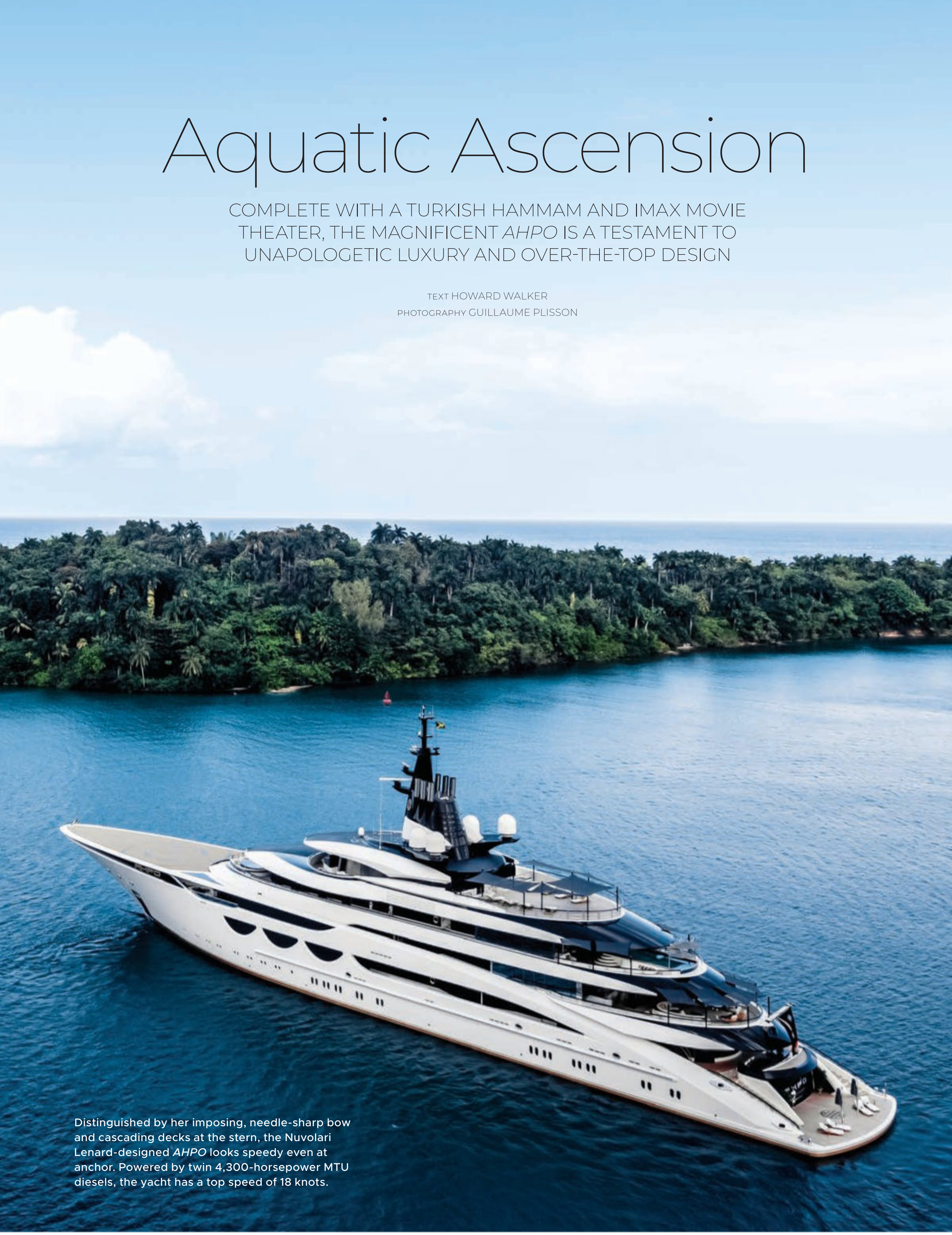
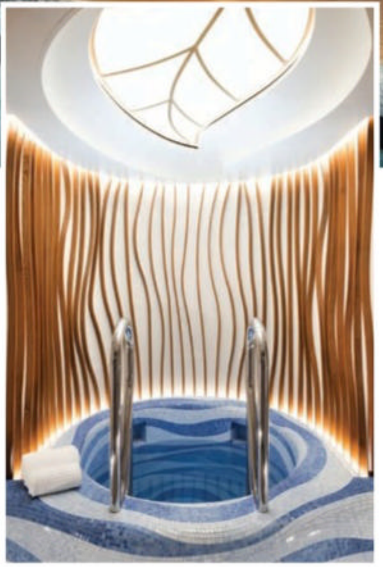
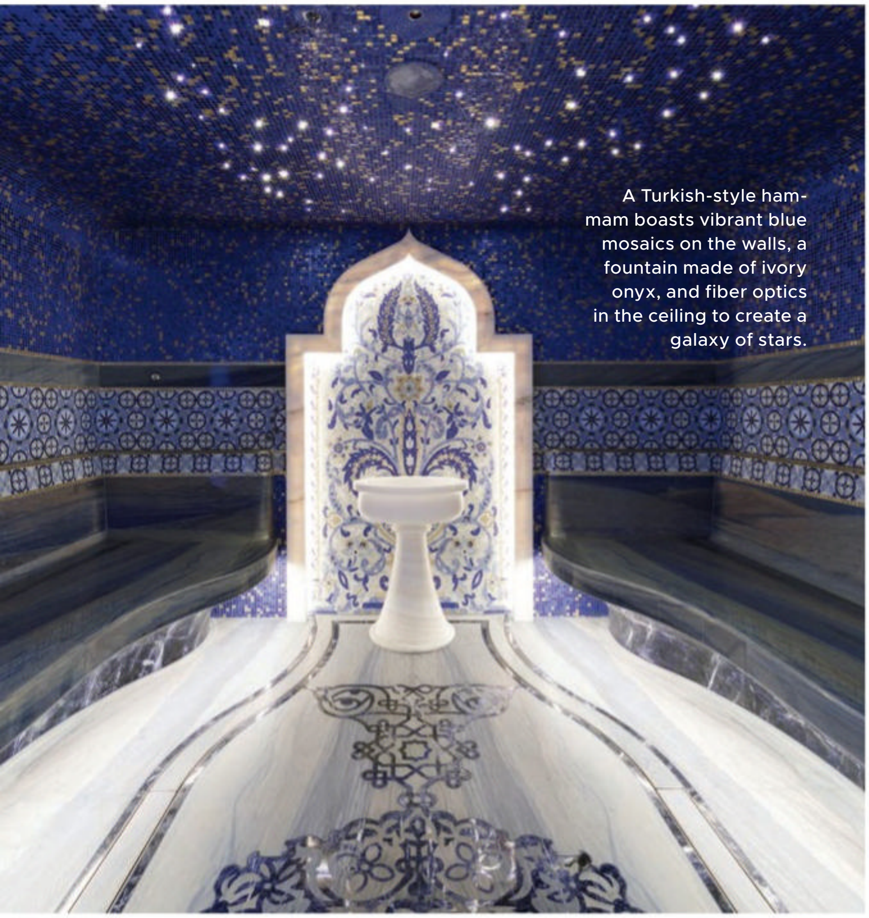


Distinguished by her imposing, needle-sharp bow and cascading decks at the stern, the Nuvolari Lenard-designed *AHPO* looks speedy even at anchor. Powered by twin 4,300-horsepower MTU diesels, the yacht has a top speed of 18 knots.



ABOVE: With twin fold-down balconies, *AHPO*'s alluring beach club lounge and bar is one of the vessel's most popular indoor spots.

RIGHT: Part of the onboard spa, the plunge pool is covered in blue mosaic. Bent teak strakes on the wall proffer an organic vibe,



A Turkish-style hammam boasts vibrant blue mosaics on the walls, a fountain made of ivory onyx, and fiber optics in the ceiling to create a galaxy of stars.

One doesn't need to gaze long at this maritime work of art to understand why the price tag has so many zeroes. Every cabin, every deck, every nook and cranny is finished to the most astonishing levels of quality and luxury, incorporating best-of-the-best materials and engineering.

Designed by the Italian design studio Nuvolari-Lenard and constructed by the famed Lürssen shipyard, *AHPO* is instantly recognizable by its soaring bow, mile-long foredeck/helipad, and the swoops and sweeps of the vessel's superstructure.

But it's the interior that truly sets *AHPO* apart. Overseen by Nuvolari-Lenard's Valentina Zannier, the design takes inspiration from the Caribbean, Asia, and the owner's beloved Jamaica. That means everything from hand-embroidered silk

RIGHT: *AHPO*'s guest cabins would be considered primary suites on lesser yachts. This one, distinguished by its classic porthole-style windows, features a hand-painted ceiling that resembles the sky.

wallpaper depicting flying flamingos to endless watery-blue mosaics and marbles, hand-formed metal bathtubs, and exquisite crystal chandeliers is fair game here.

Naturally, with a yacht this voluminous, there's no shortage of accommodation space. *AHPO*, which means grandmother in Chinese, features a two-level, full-beam primary suite, six other ensuite cabins, a formal dining space for 22, a Japanese-themed gym, a 12-seat IMAX Dolby cinema, a tea room, an enclosed, plant-filled, all-seasons "winter garden," and a huge beach club with all the requisite five-star trimmings and pampering.

The life aquatic just met its match. *lurssen.com/en/new-build/yachts/ahpo/*

BELOW: The owner's suite spans two levels marked by a palette of pinks and creams. Among the suite's touches are hand-crafted Catchpole & Rye copper tubs and elaborate mosaics depicting flowers and birds.

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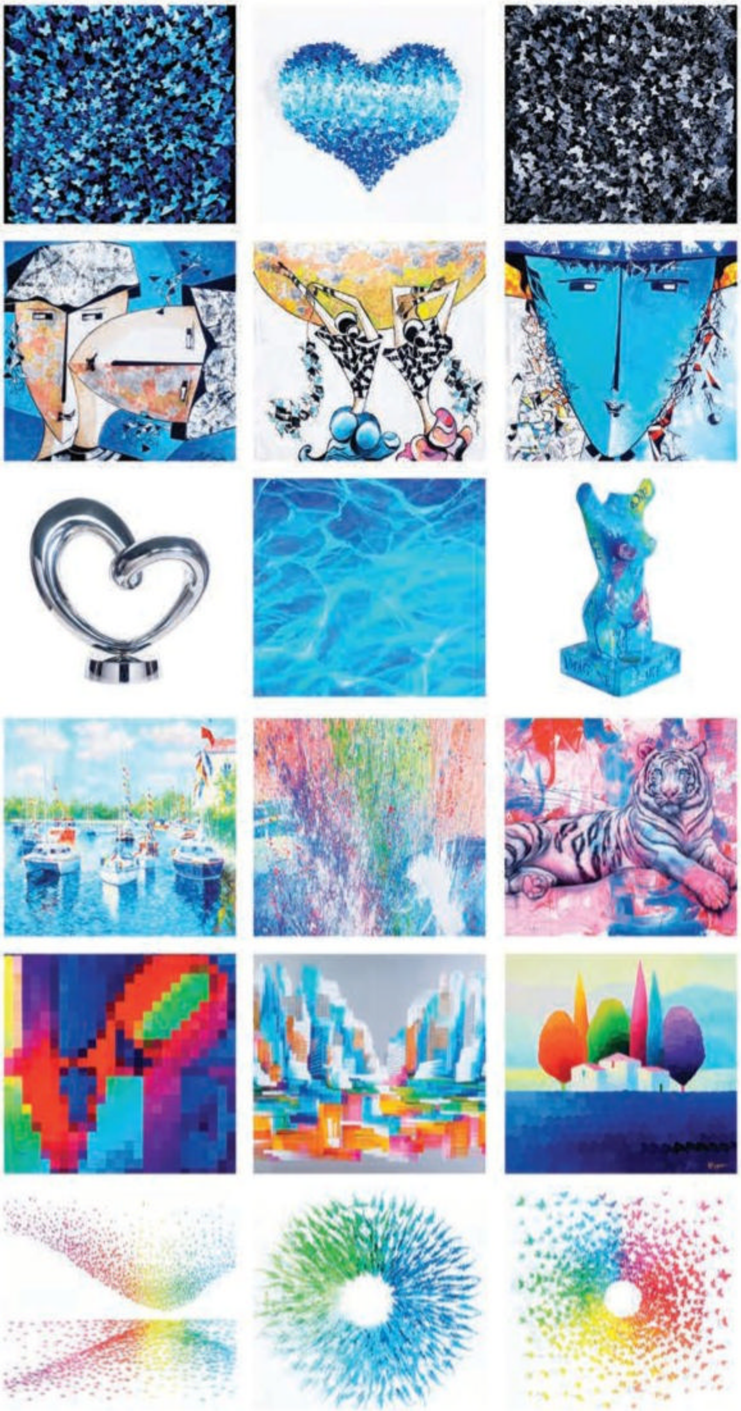

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On the corner of 57th and Fifth in Manhattan, luxury hospitality brand Aman has introduced its signature Asian-infused minimalism and serene spaces, bringing a moment of calm to a city known for its fevered pace and electric energy.

Aman New York is the newest occupant of the landmark Crown Building, a palatial structure whose history is entwined with the mythology of New York City. The transformation, led by Jean-Michel Gathy of Denniston Architects, respects the building's past while staying true to Aman's design ethos. Built in 1921, at the height of America's Gilded Age, the Crown was designed by Warren & Wetmore, the architects behind such Manhattan icons as Grand Central Station and the Helmsley Building. Everything about the

ABOVE: The 7,000-square-foot Garden Terrace on the fourteenth floor offers year-round dining. BELOW: The Crown Building, home of Aman New York, was designed by Warren & Wetmore and built in 1921. It is one of the finest examples of Beaux Arts architecture in North America.

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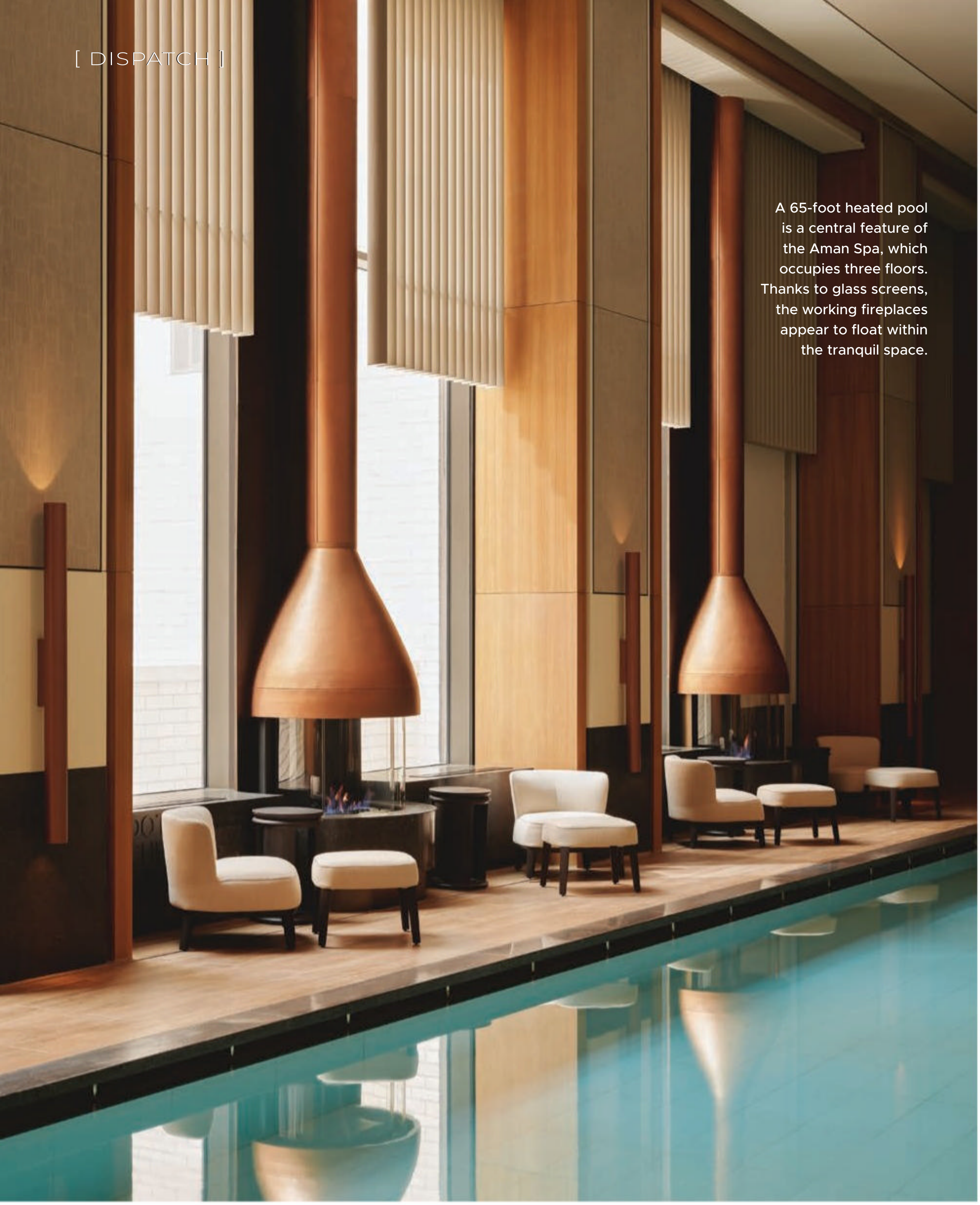

A 65-foot heated pool is a central feature of the Aman Spa, which occupies three floors. Thanks to glass screens, the working fireplaces appear to float within the tranquil space.

Beaux-Arts building exuded affluence and rarefied privilege, from its elaborate entrance to its famously gilded crown, whose finish is owed to 30 gallons of liquid gold.

So how does one take a neoclassical exterior with massive proportions and French Renaissance detailing and convert it into a quietly impressive environment inspired by the tranquil beauty of nature? Gathy and his team created spaces within the greater space, effectively bringing down the scale to intimate proportions. As in other Aman hotels, an extensive palette of woods—from oak to cinnamon—contributes warmth, while metal elements including bronze and blackened steel add an edge consistent with the urban milieu. Though simple lines define the spaces, the design is anything but simple. The genius is found in details like a woven wood-and-stone floor pattern that recalls Asian

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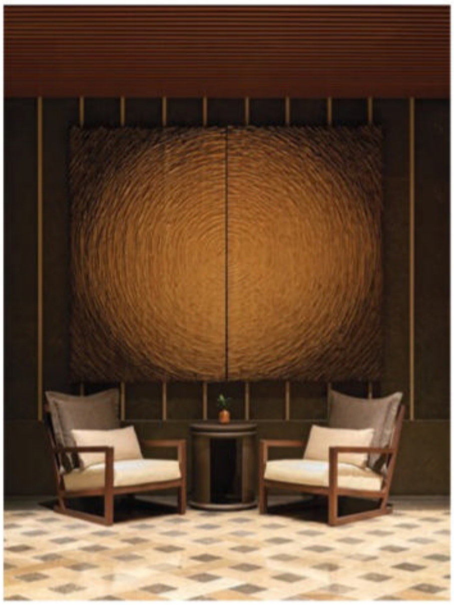
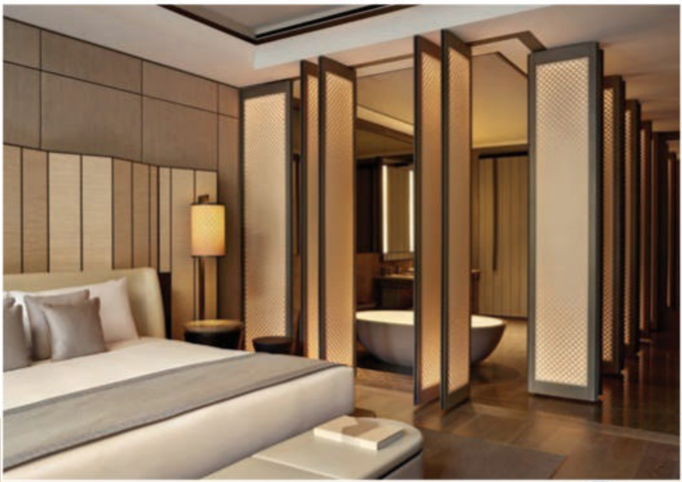
rattan baskets, the signature starburst pattern of ancient straw marquetry, and strategically placed gold accents that allude to the building's iconic emblem.

Suites and residences extend the design oeuvre of the public spaces. Each of these spaces has a working fireplace—previously unheard of in New York—separating the bedroom and living room. In the suites, art murals inspired by *Pine Trees*, Hasegawa Tohaku's fifteenth-century masterpiece that is now designated as a Japanese National Treasure, create a striking focal point. Pivoting panels with backlit rice paper serve both form and function: They're bold architectural elements that also act as screens for privacy and light flow.

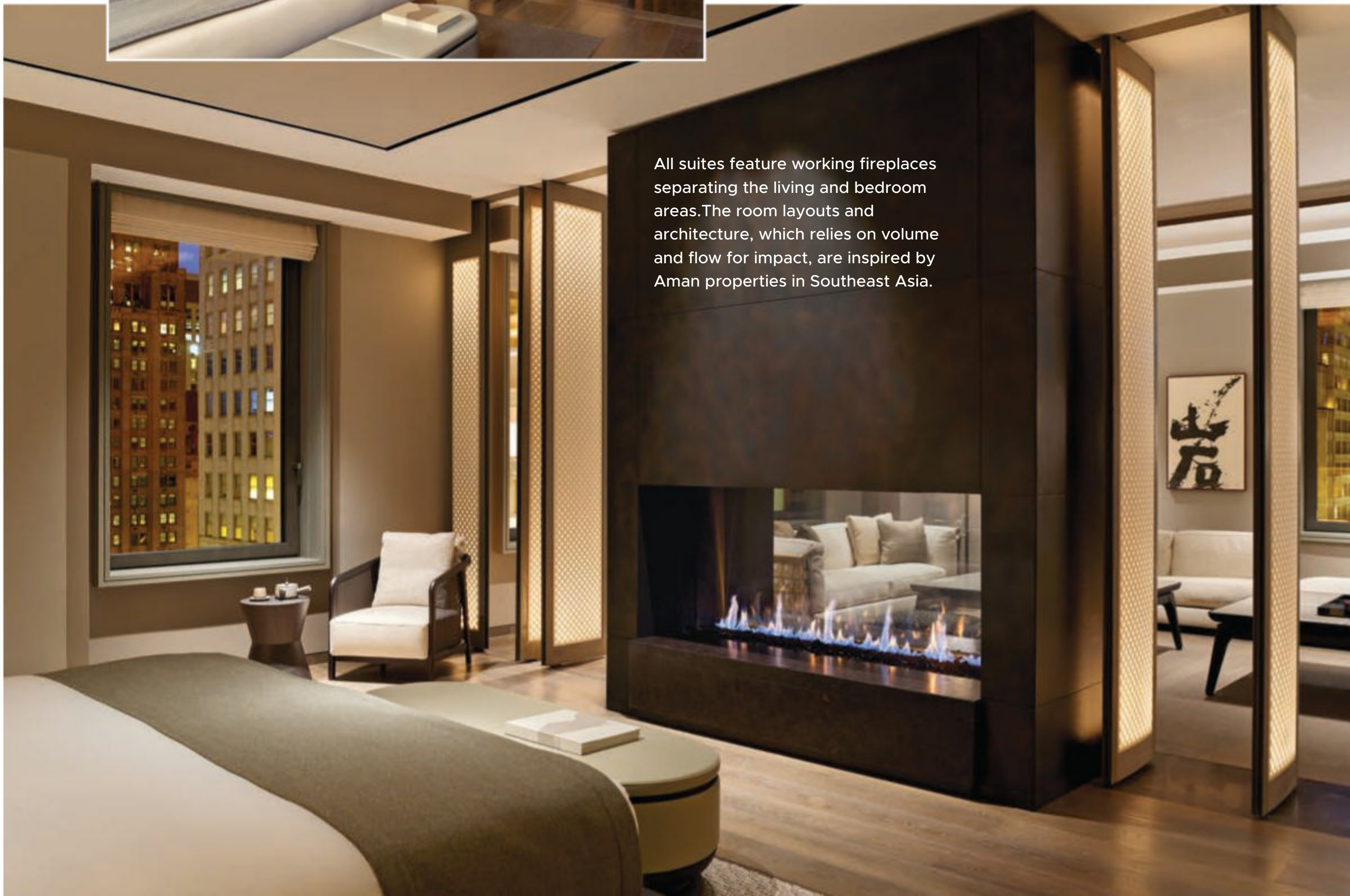
Through tension between old and new, earthly and ethereal, Aman New York has achieved a feeling of tranquility uncommon in the City That Never Sleeps. *amannewyork.com*





ABOVE: Aman honors the Crown Building's artistic heritage (it was once the home of the Museum of Modern Art) with art installations like this sculptural piece by Alfred Haberpointner, in the arrival lobby.

LEFT: Backlit rice-paper panels adorned with a woven pattern are set inside louvered doors that pivot to adjust light or separate rooms, as seen in this division between the primary bedroom and bath.



All suites feature working fireplaces separating the living and bedroom areas.The room layouts and architecture, which relies on volume and flow for impact, are inspired by Aman properties in Southeast Asia.

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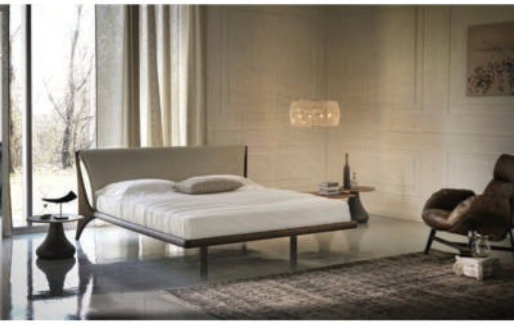
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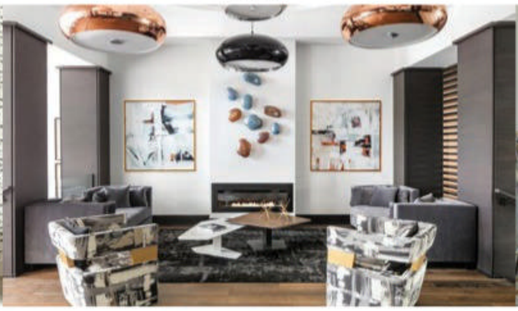
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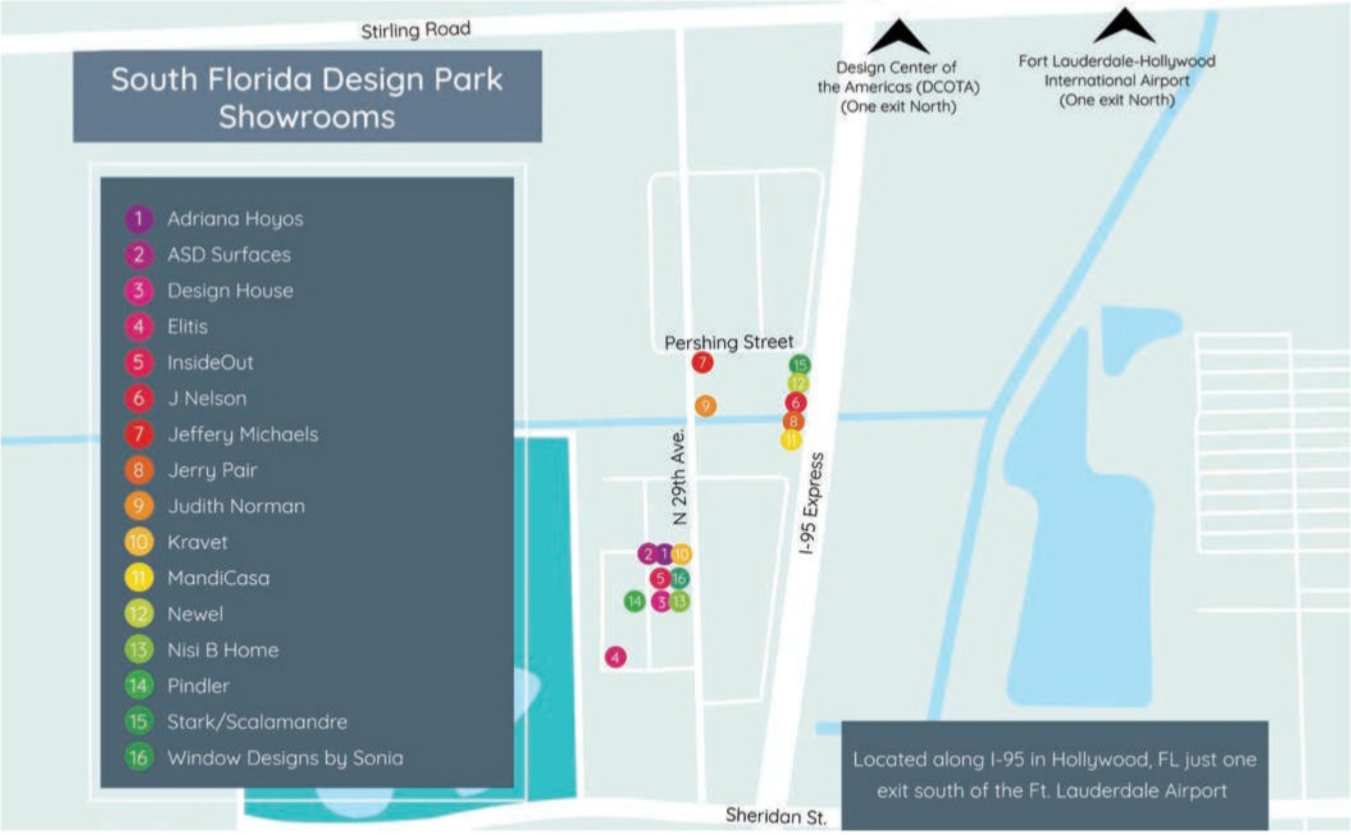
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DESIGN ACTIONS OFTEN SPEAK LOUDER THAN WORDS. Upon viewing a stream of projects from designer Juan Poggi's impressive international portfolio, the homeowners of an extraordinary 11,500-square-foot penthouse on Fisher Island granted him carte blanche to carry out their vision. The residence's exclusive private setting—accessible only by ferry for residents and their guests—offered an extravagant resort life with beach access, golf and tennis courts, world-class restaurants, and an array of yacht slips for the good life.

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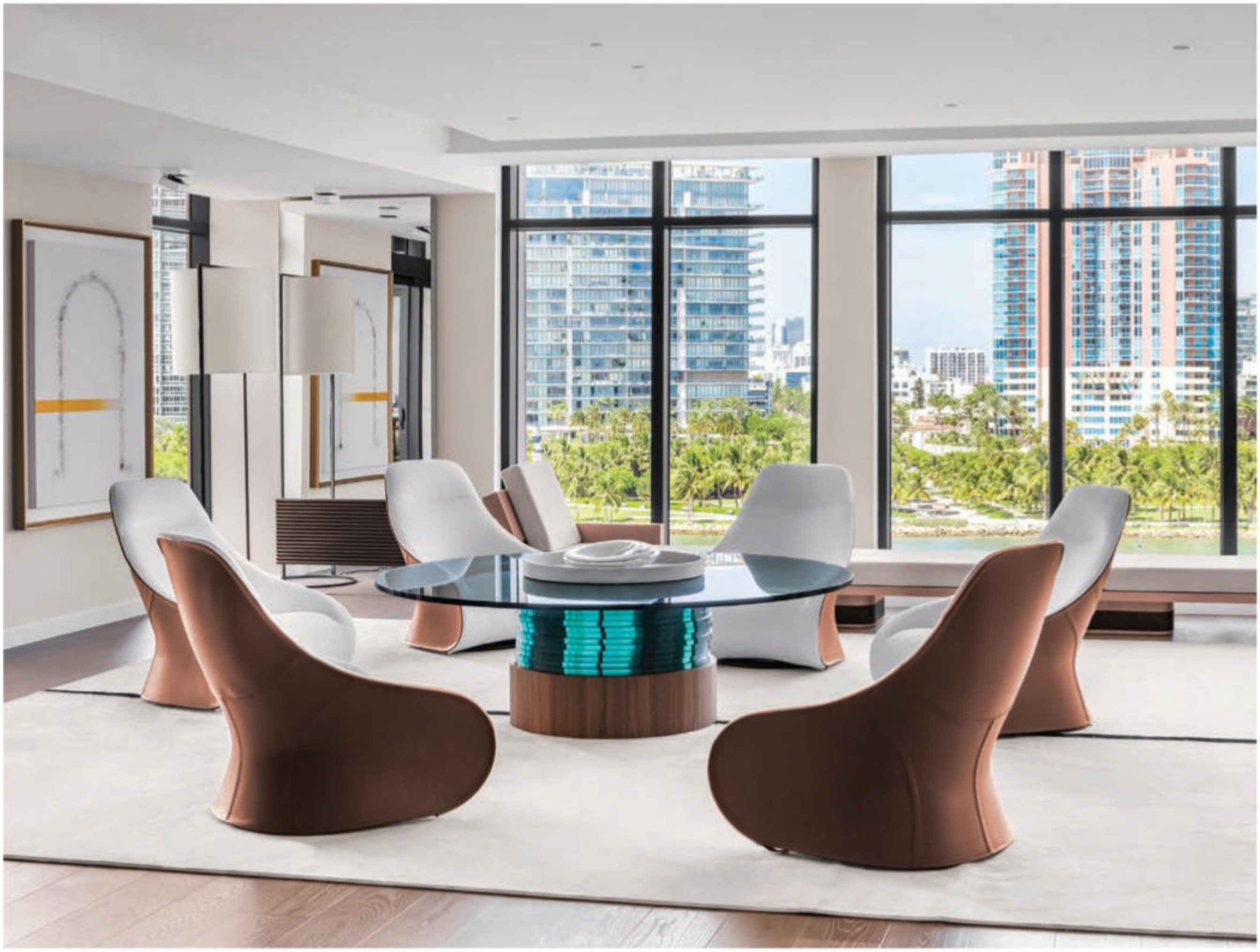
Upon entering the spacious quarters of this extraordinary Fisher Island penthouse, a larger-than-life ottoman surrounding a 42-inch optical glass artwork lends a strong sculptural statement to the adjacent open living spaces. Designed by Poggi Design, the majestic piece preludes the sweeping Biscayne Bay views beyond.

"They love the space, the extraordinary views—the peaceful life on Fisher Island," says Poggi. "The clients came to me via a recommendation by ASR Construction, a team of architects, designers, and contractors who specialize in Fisher Island projects. We met, and they felt comfortable with my approach to the design of their home. We were able to deliver the entire build with all the furniture in less than 11 months."

Poggi relied on his signature touches for success. He kept the fabric palette neutral and applied accent colors on the furniture, custom built-in display shelving, and custom

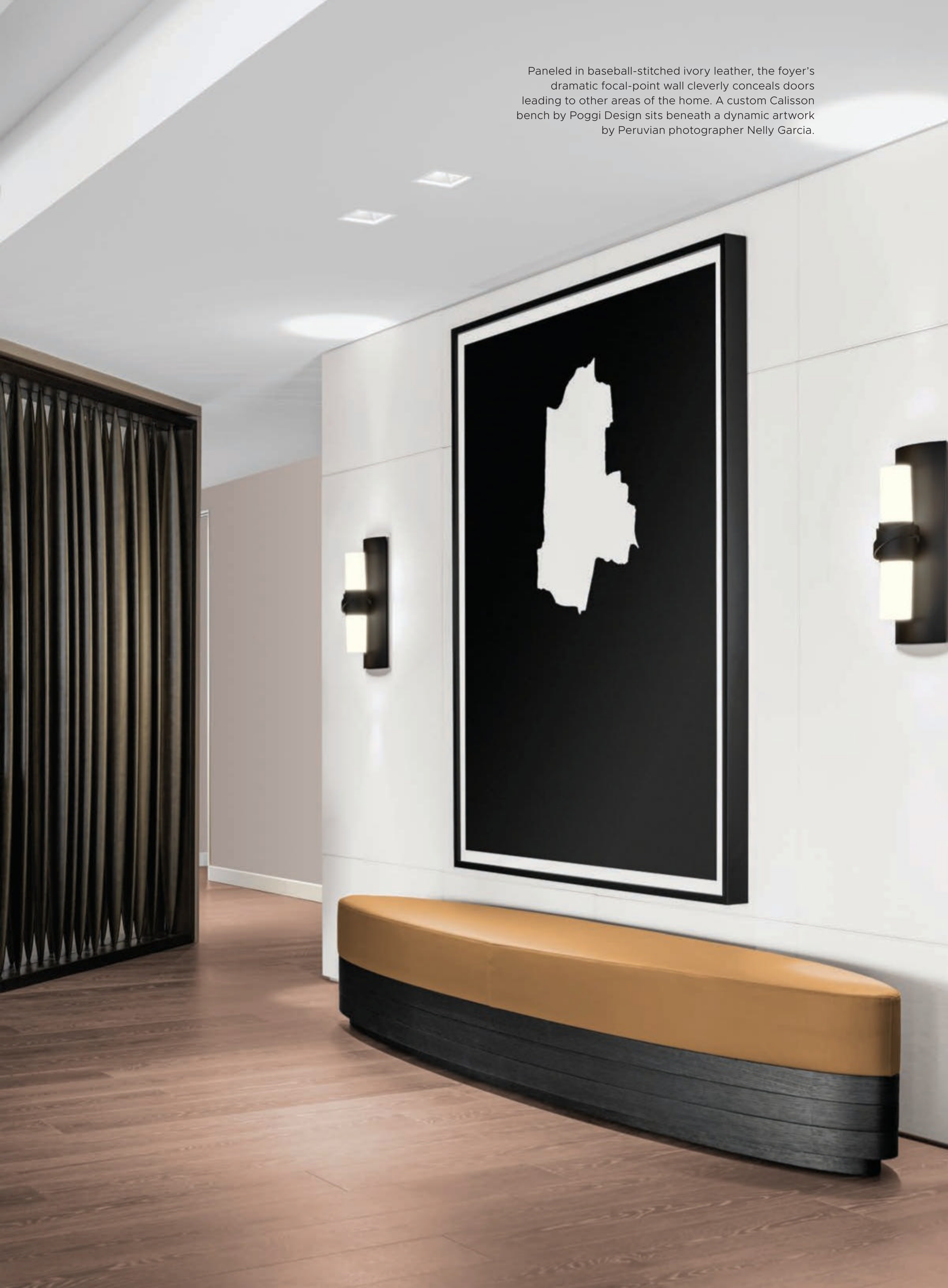


cabinetry. For this large-scale project, more than half of the pieces were custom-made by Poggi Design. “We created the chairs, side tables, dining tables, a bar, and the cabinetry,” says the designer. “All our custom pieces were crafted in Milan by 2MM Italy.”

The sophisticated bespoke elements are apparent from the moment one walks into the foyer, where a panel in baseball-stitched ivory leather creates a wall to discreetly hide the doors that take you to other parts of the home. A Poggi-designed Calisson bench sits against the leather panel, and a bold black-and-white statement piece by Peruvian photographer Nelly Garcia creates a stunning backdrop. Sleek Obi sconces from Poggi Design for Boyd Lighting complement the dramatic artwork.

Stepping into the vast open living spaces, one cannot help but notice a massive custom ottoman designed to frame a dynamic round optical glass sculpture. “Our goal here was to create something unconventional and clean so that the view of Biscayne Bay would not be interrupted,” notes Poggi. “I also designed two large

ABOVE: Nestled into a prime corner spot in the living area, a lounge space for wine tasting offers guests a spectacular view of the water. Sinuous Zanotta Derby chairs complement a round glass-topped Mizu table by Poggi Design. Custom 16-foot chaise lounges line the back windows.



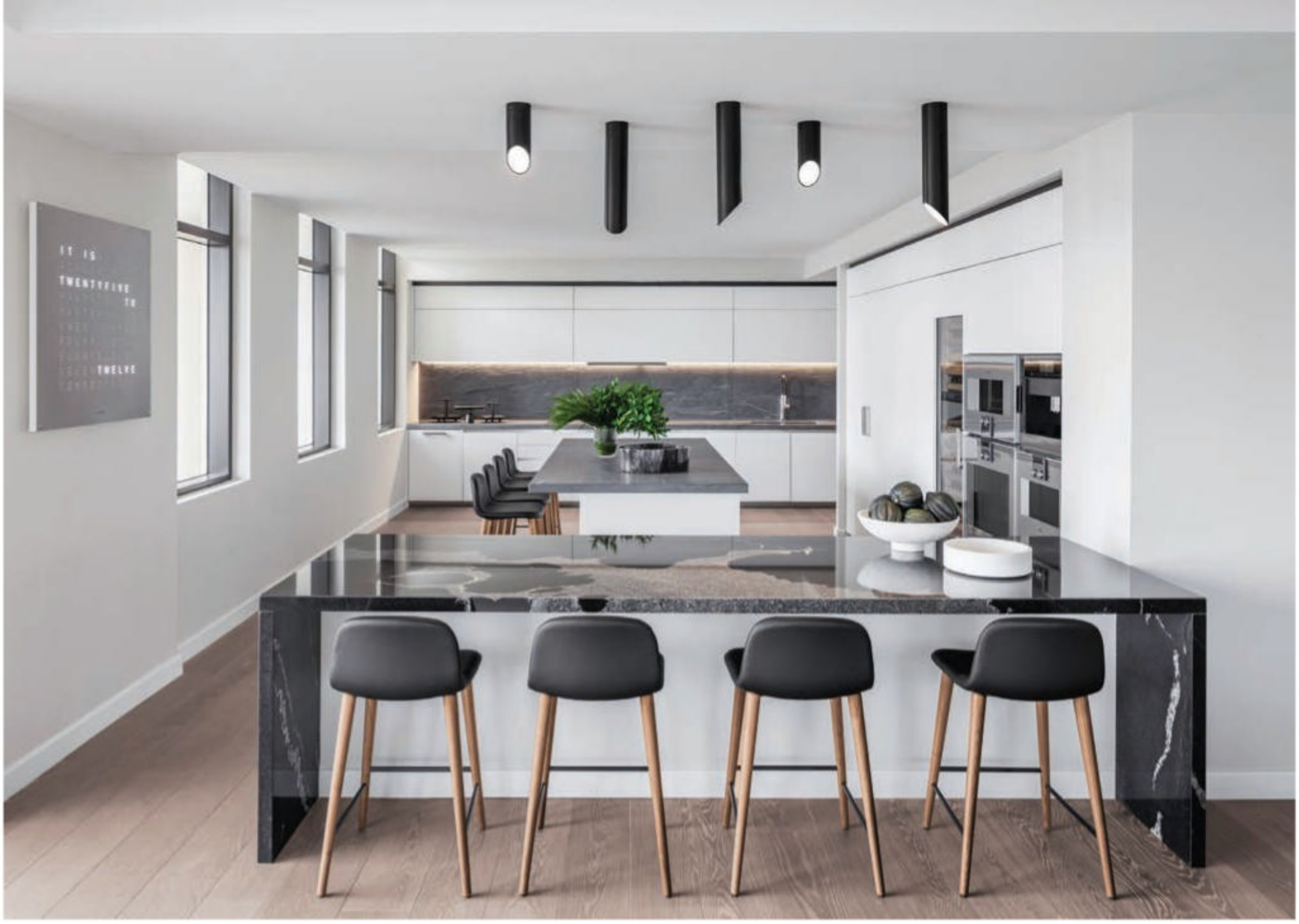
Paneled in baseball-stitched ivory leather, the foyer's dramatic focal-point wall cleverly conceals doors leading to other areas of the home. A custom Calisson bench by Poggi Design sits beneath a dynamic artwork by Peruvian photographer Nelly Garcia.

elliptical columns in antique bronze to hide the apartment's structural columns. The idea was to balance the space with architectural accents of the appropriate scale."

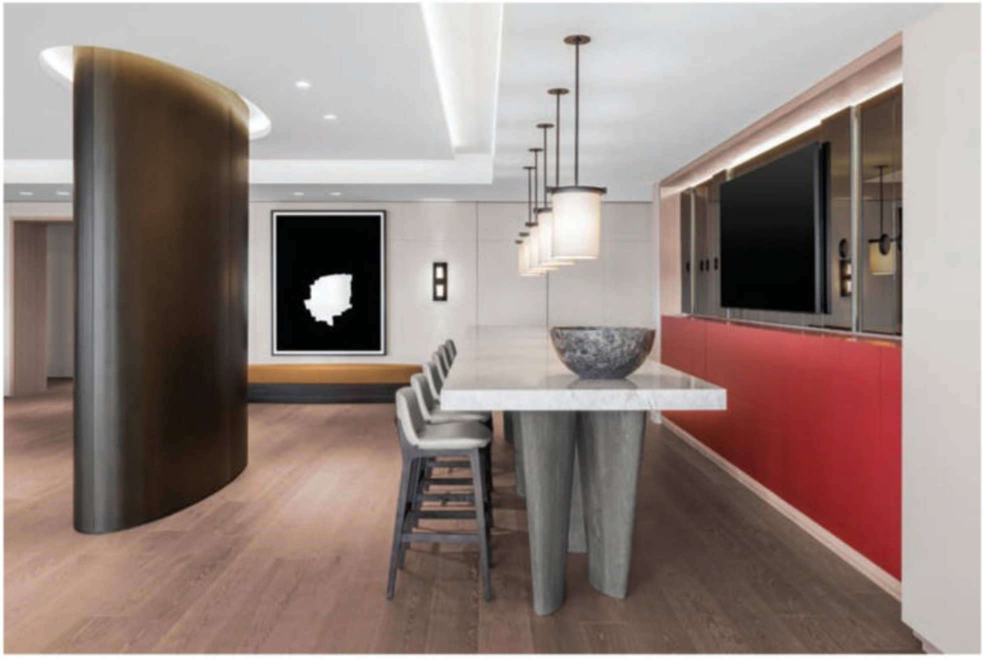
Behind one column, a Poggi-designed bar dotted with Italian Poliform barstools offers an intimate entertainment space. Equipped with sleek cabinetry behind mirrored doors, the barware storage space is elegantly concealed, creating a seamless look. There is also a wall of wine coolers that Poggi strategically designed so that the wine bottles are hidden. "Each cooler stores 200 bottles, and the clients liked the idea of these being covered, so the wine bottles don't become part of the décor," notes the designer. A spacious lounge area adjacent to the bar was designed for wine tastings and boasts exceptional water views. Surrounded by curvy Zanotta lounge chairs, a Poggi-designed glass Mizu table dazzles the eye with its reflective circular glass base atop a walnut drum. Spectacular 16-foot chaise lounges lining the windows invite guests to relax and enjoy the scenery.

ABOVE: The living area's shelving unit displays glass collectibles and a brilliant artwork by Guillermo Fornes. Behind the unit, a hidden TV slides out when desired. The Shita chairs, Chubu side table, and console table are by Juan Poggi Design.

RIGHT: Just off the living area, a dining space provides a convivial spot for gatherings. A bronze and wood Yumi dining table, designed by Juan Poggi, seats 14 guests. Upholstered Italian chairs from Poliform complement the table's sleek form.

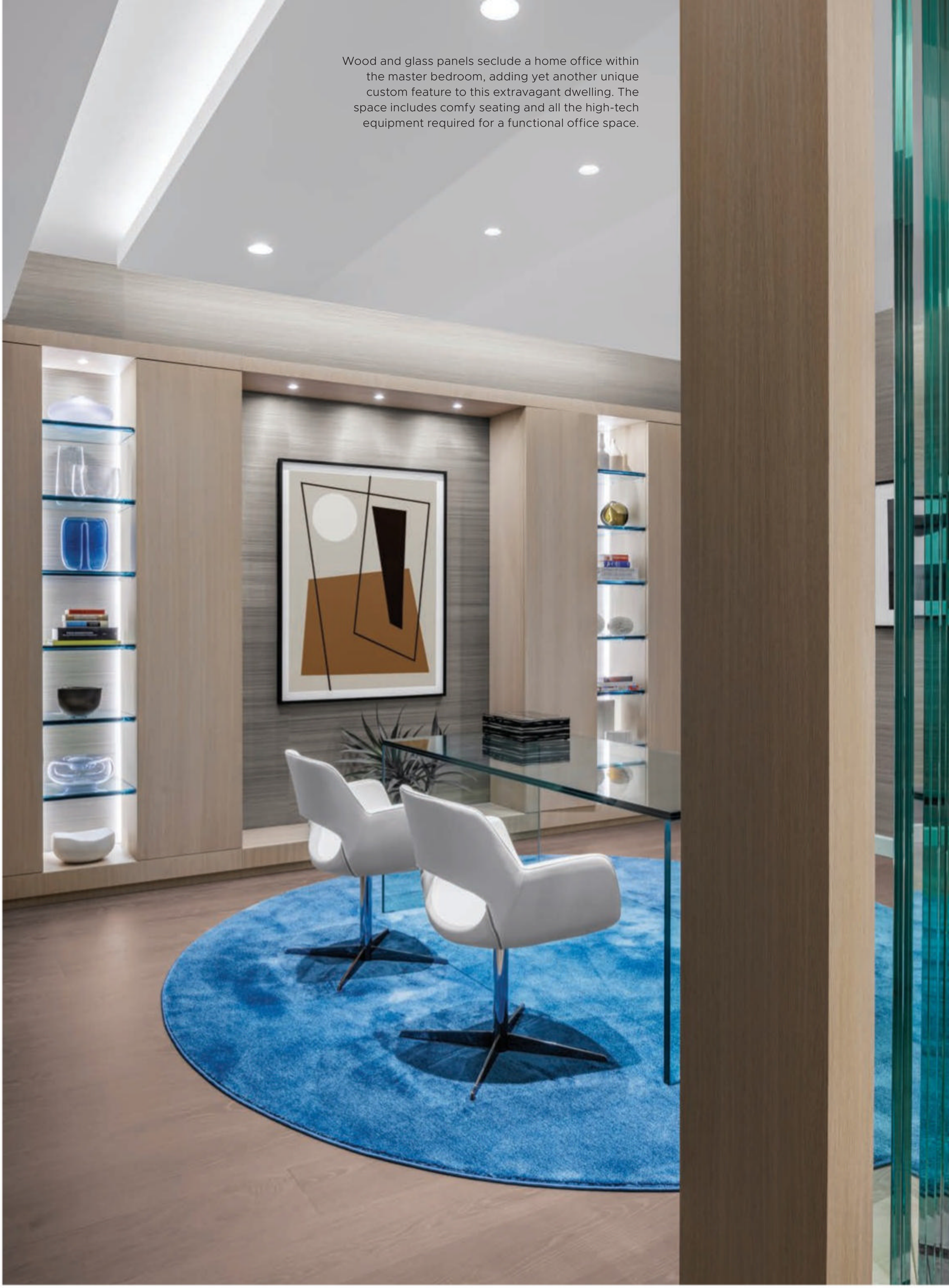


Centered in the expansive living space, custom display shelving spotlights the owners' collectibles along with a striking modern artwork by Spanish artist Guillermo Fornes. On the other side of the unit, another large lounging area provides comfy low-profile seating accented with an oversize cocktail table and a chic dark-stained console table from Poggi's OBI collection. An adjacent dining area makes an ideal gathering spot for this large family with a magnificent Yumi dining table that can accommodate 14 guests. "We designed it in bronze and wood and played with a series of veneer forms to create the overscale tabletop," says Poggi. "The streamlined Italian chairs add the perfect complement."



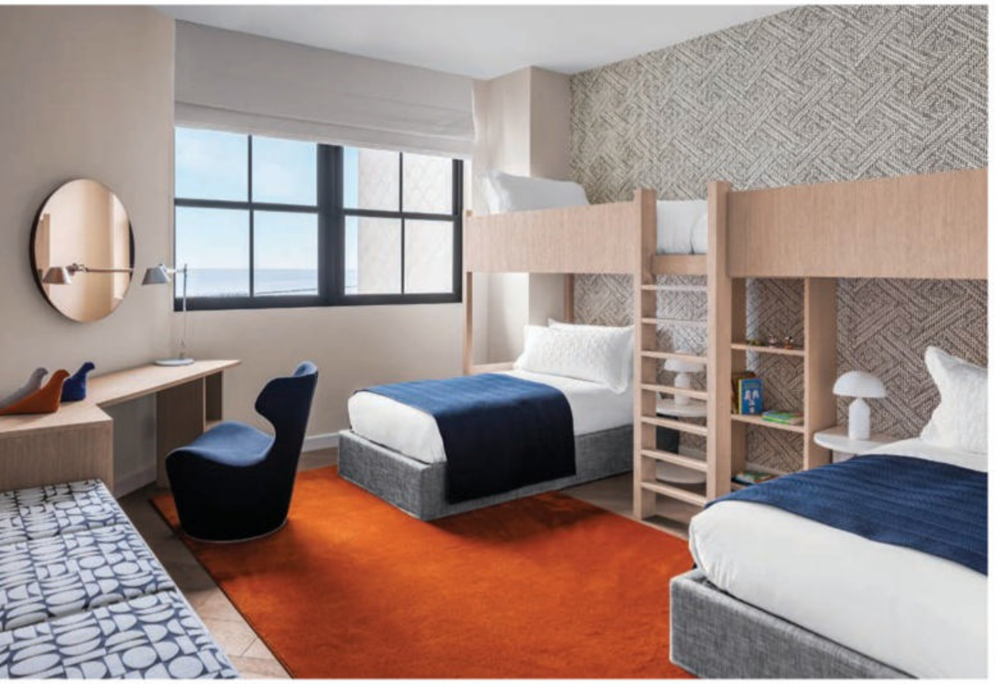
ABOVE: An Italian luxury kitchen by Boffi makes a chic style statement for this state-of-the-art gathering hub. Seamless cabinetry and built-in stainless-steel appliances enhance the home's clean linear feel, and double islands provide ample seating for family and guests.

LEFT: Illuminated by a row of pendant lights, the bar is outfitted with Italian Poliform barstools. Behind the mirrored doors, Poggi designed a shallow cabinet to store cocktail glasses. Beside the bar, four wine coolers house 200 bottles each. These concealed cabinets maintain the home's intended streamlined aesthetic.



Wood and glass panels seclude a home office within the master bedroom, adding yet another unique custom feature to this extravagant dwelling. The space includes comfy seating and all the high-tech equipment required for a functional office space.

BELOW: Cleverly designed with multiple beds—including a pair of bunk-style loft beds—a colorful kids' bedroom offers a playful hideaway for the homeowners' grandchildren. A vibrant orange area rug complements the splashes of dark blue throughout, and patterned wallpaper and seating create graphic visual interest.



The amazingly serene primary bedroom features one of Poggi's most innovative design concepts. Here, he created a sleek home office entirely enclosed in wood and glass panels for privacy. Beautifully integrated, it enhances the functionality of the space without interrupting the room's luxurious aesthetic.

"I was fortunate to have extremely sophisticated clients who understood the value of custom work," says Poggi. "They were easy to communicate with and very confident that I would deliver what I promised. It was a huge endeavor, but they got the best of my work."

SOURCES

ENTRY

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Sculpture designed by Juan Poggi, Poggi Design, Milan, Italy

LOUNGE

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Chairs designed and fabricated by Zanotta, Milan, Italy

Floor lamp – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL

Area rug – Poggi Design, Milano, Italy

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LIVING AREAS

Sofa groupings – Living Divani, Milan, Italy

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KITCHEN

Cabinetry and island designed and fabricated by Boffi, Miami, FL

Wrapped in whisper-soft shades of gray, the primary bedroom offers the homeowners a sublime oasis. The linear appeal of an elegant canopy bed mirrors the clean aesthetic of the streamlined chaise lounge seating. An enclosed home office brings discreet modern functionality to this bedroom space.

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BAR AREA

Table designed by Poggi Design, Milan, Italy, and fabricated by 2MM, Milan, Italy
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OFFICE

Desk designed by Poggi Design, Milan, Italy, and fabricated by 2MM, Milan, Italy
Chairs – Walter Knoll, Luminaire, Coral Gables, FL
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CHILDREN'S ROOM

Bunk beds designed by Poggi Design, Milan, Italy, and fabricated by 2MM Milan, Italy
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PRIMARY BEDROOM

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Lamp – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Lounge – Flexform, Luminaire, Coral Gables, FL
Wall covering – Phillip Jeffries, Phillip Jeffries Hollywood, FL
Drapery fabric – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Area rug – Poggi Design, Milan, Italy

THROUGHOUT

Display shelving designed by Poggi Design, Milan, Italy, and fabricated by 2MM, Milan, Italy
Developer – ASR Construction, Miami Beach, FL

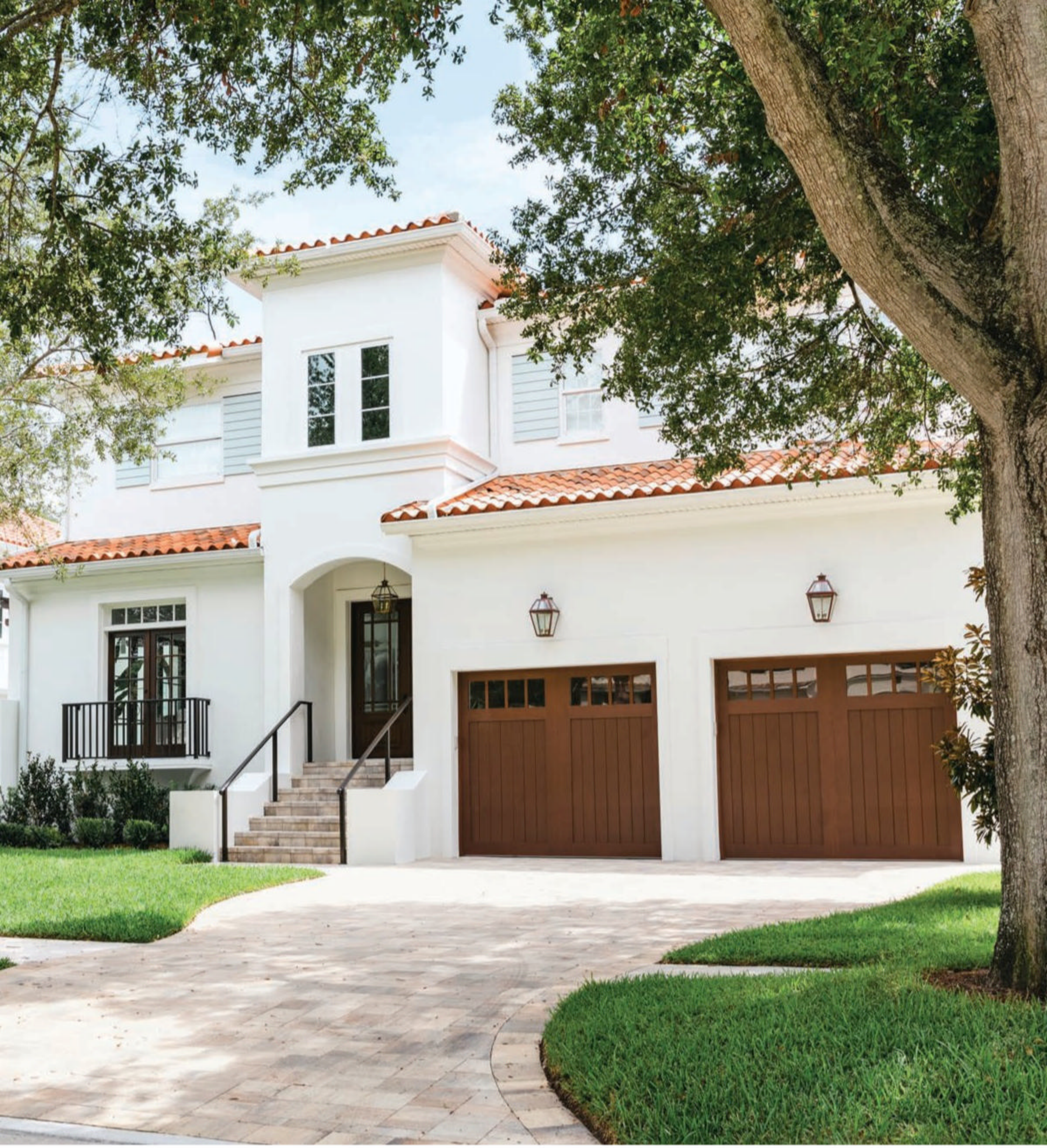
Seamless Transition

A MEDITERRANEAN RESIDENCE IN TAMPA'S BAYSHORE BEAUTIFUL ENCLAVE UNDERGOES A FLAWLESS RENOVATION AND EMERGES TRIUMPHANT

INTERIOR DESIGN JULIANNE HENDRICKSON, MARY ELISE RISING & TONI JABAAY, HENDRICKSON INTERIORS, TAMPA, FL
TEXT JEANNE DE LATHOUDER
PHOTOGRAPHY AMY LAMB, ASHLAND CITY, TN

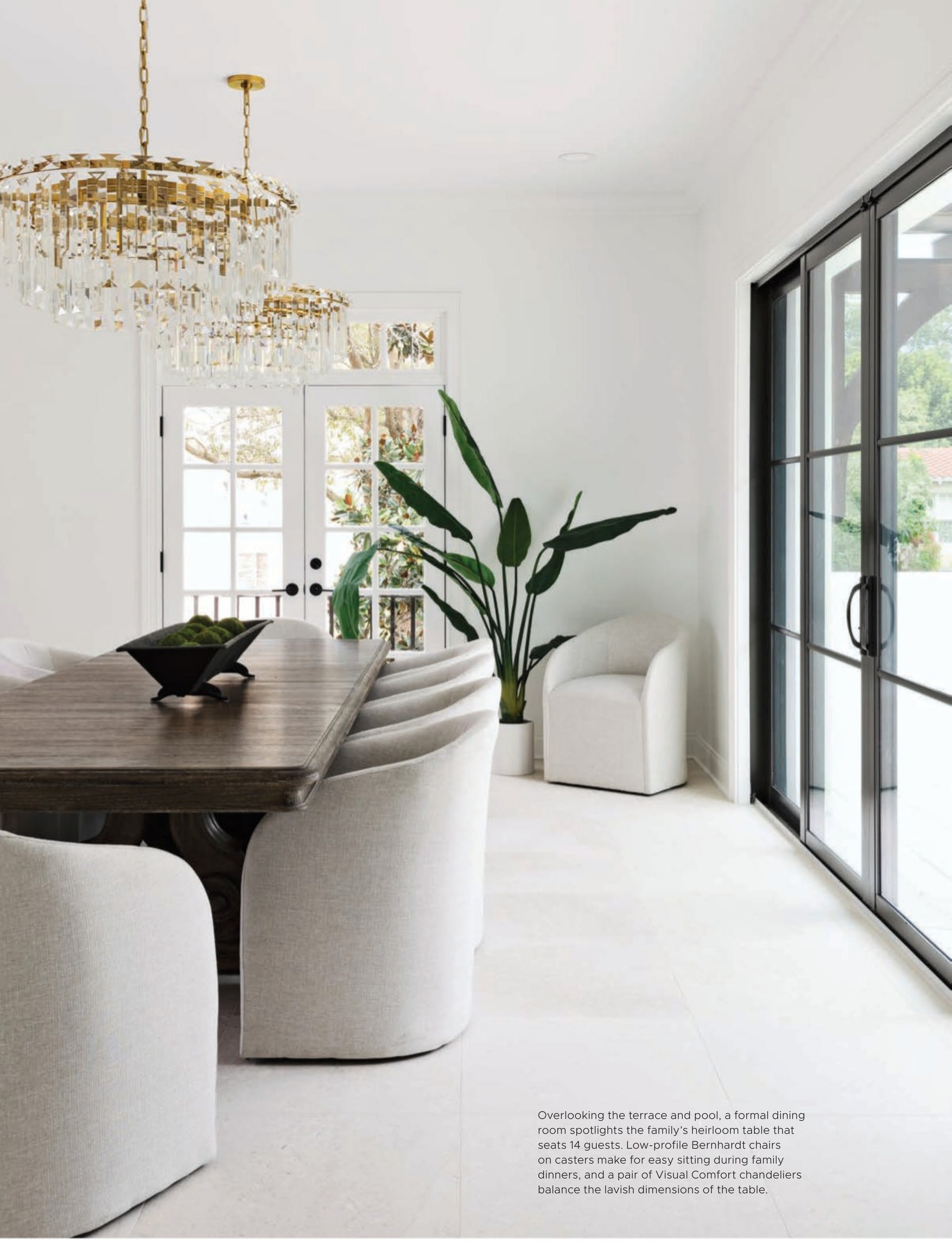
ABOVE: A charming custom gate designed by the team at Hendrickson Interiors provides privacy and access to the pool area. The large opening bridges the existing home with the new addition that resulted from the renovation.

ABOVE RIGHT: Situated in the coveted Tampa neighborhood of Bayshore Beautiful, this Mediterranean-inspired home was freshly updated with warm white paint and embellished with copper-trimmed coastal-blue shutters. Neutral colors and textures give the dwelling a timeless, open feel.

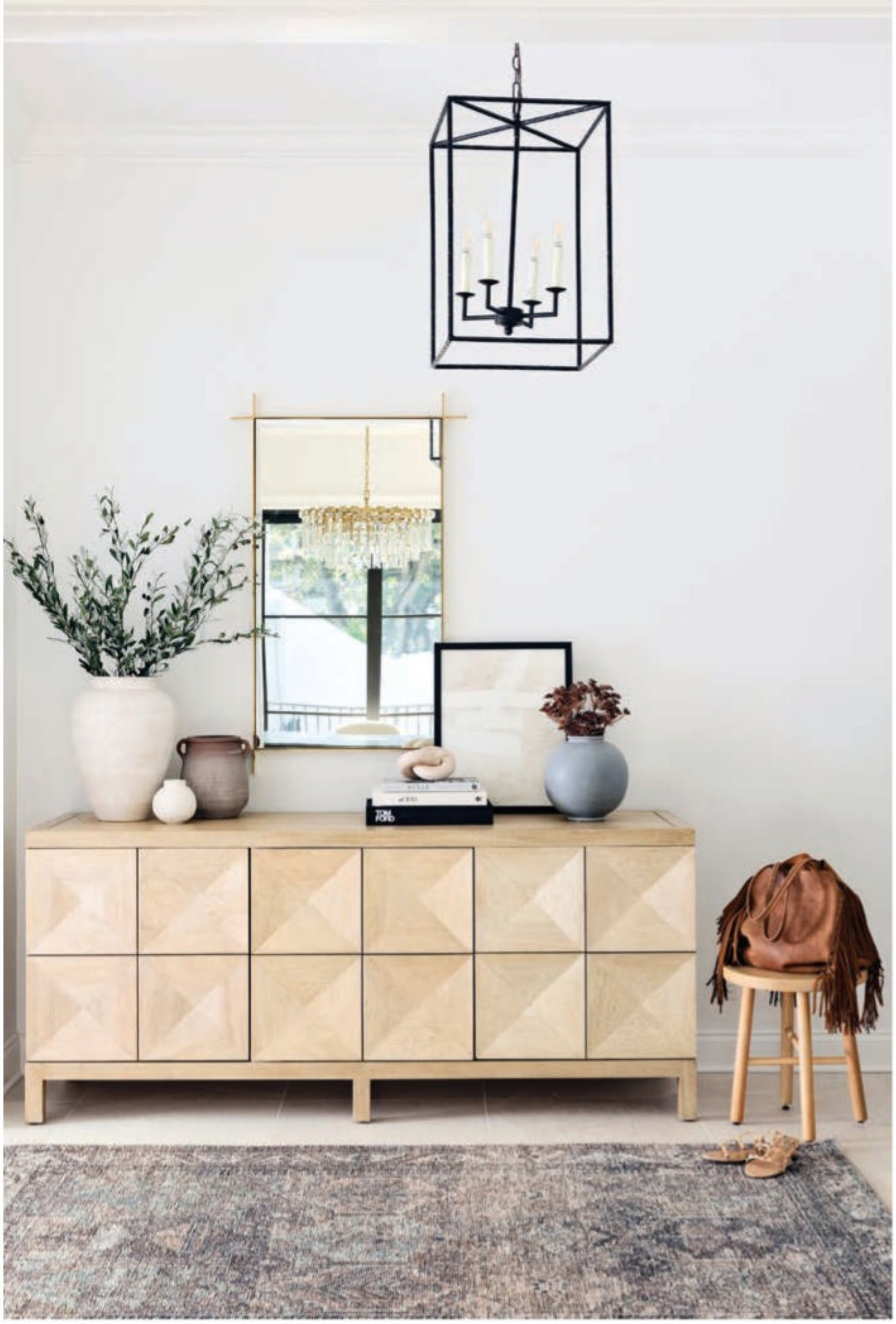


WHEN A TAMPA COUPLE WITH FOUR ACTIVE BOYS decided to renovate their home, their primary goal was to marry the original structure with its new addition. Settled gracefully into the picturesque landscapes of Bayshore Beautiful, a neighborhood known for its proximity to Bayshore Boulevard—one of Tampa's most coveted locations—the property and its new build-on appear seamless, as though they've always been there.

"Our team's first priority was to make the home feel current yet timeless," says designer Julianne Hendrickson, whom the homeowners wholeheartedly entrusted to



Overlooking the terrace and pool, a formal dining room spotlights the family's heirloom table that seats 14 guests. Low-profile Bernhardt chairs on casters make for easy sitting during family dinners, and a pair of Visual Comfort chandeliers balance the lavish dimensions of the table.

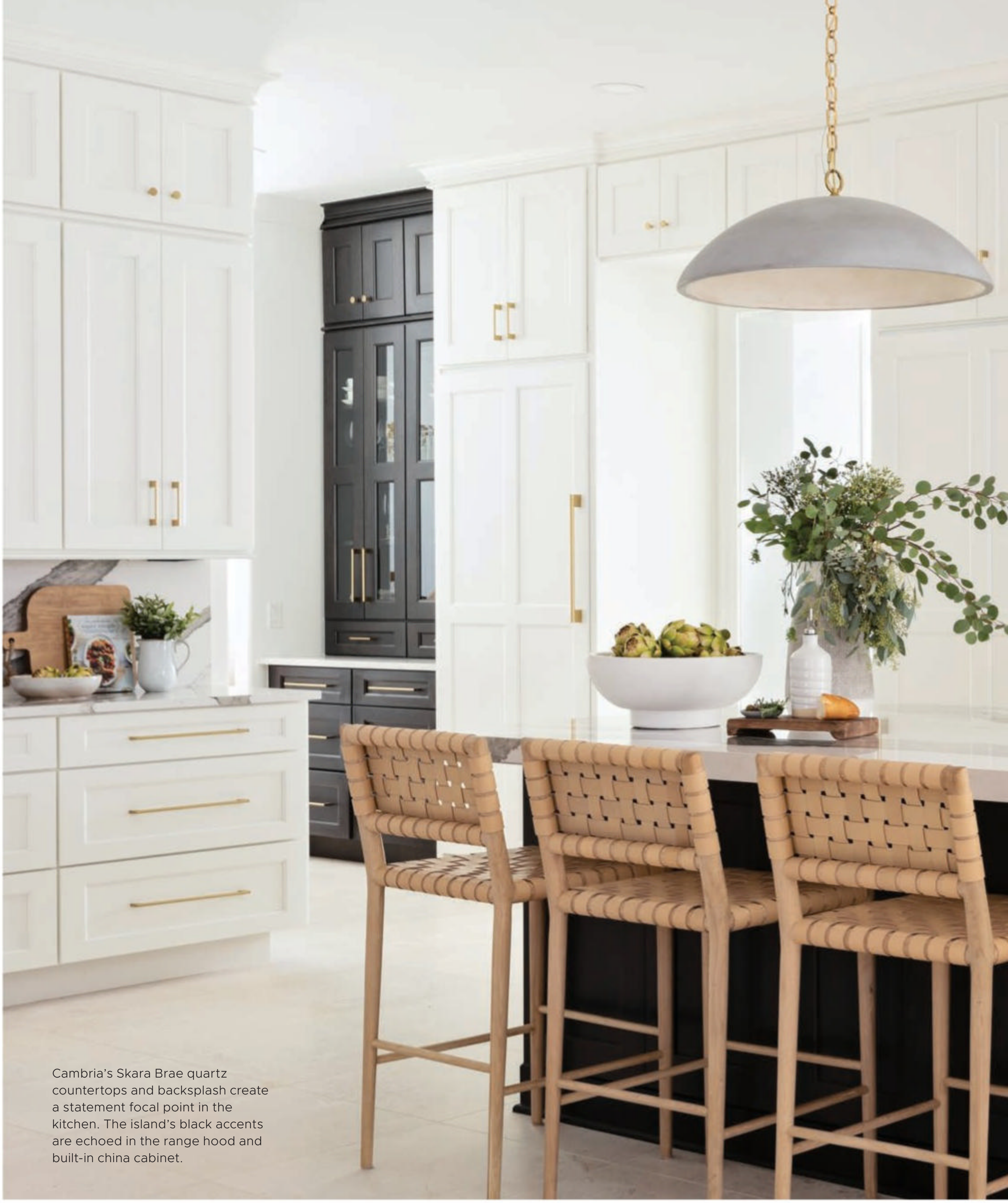


RIGHT: Interior designer Julianne Hendrickson updated the home's original front entrance with a delightfully simple and streamlined Noir console table and mirror. A patterned area rug brings texture to the foyer's clean aesthetic. A single wrought-iron chandelier overhead lends a touch of elegance.

take on the task. "We repainted the exterior in a warm white and added coastal blue shutters with hints of copper trim at the top. To create a continuous flow throughout, we replaced all the floors with a honed marble for durability and easy cleaning."

Ideally situated just a stone's throw from Bayshore Boulevard's scenic pedestrian walkway, the original 4,467-square-foot structure now boasts 8,807 square feet of under-roof space. The additional square footage gives the couple and their young boys much more functional residence. In addition, Hendrickson, who worked alongside project manager Mary Elise Rising and lead designer Toni Jabaay, strategically chose neutral colors and textures to make the home more livable and open.

Bathed in warm white, the foyer, in all its simplicity, creates a wonderfully serene welcome into the house. Its spare design includes a streamlined console table topped with meaningful collectibles and backdropped by a slender mirror that reflects one



Cambria's Skara Brae quartz countertops and backsplash create a statement focal point in the kitchen. The island's black accents are echoed in the range hood and built-in china cabinet.

of a pair of the dining room's crystal chandeliers.

"The formal dining room centers around an heirloom table that seats 14," says Hendrickson. "The owners wanted a space to entertain their extended family for holidays and Sunday suppers." The generational dining table pairs elegantly with low-profile Bernhardt chairs on casters, offering comfy seating for after-dinner lingering.

An expansive butler's pantry and mudroom behind the kitchen was an absolute must

for this family of boys who needed storage for their baseball gear, hockey equipment, and, most importantly, lots of snacks. There's also an extra sink and a small desk to keep things clean and organized.

"Tucked between the dining room and kitchen/living area, a powder bath was designed to emulate a jewel box for this mother of all boys," says Hendrickson. "Glamorous, polished brass plumbing, elegant sconces, and marble flooring make this space fit for a queen."

ABOVE: Nestled between the dining room and kitchen, a glamorous powder room is outfitted with polished brass plumbing, Cole and Sons wallpaper, marble flooring, and a pair of sleek Visual Comfort sconces.

The kitchen is, of course, the heart of the home, with a casual dining area for everyday meals enhanced with a magnificent circular chandelier. But the real showstoppers appear in the dramatic, black-accented Skara Brae quartz countertops and backsplash amplified with a black island base and range hood.

"The kitchen turned out to be the couple's most beloved space," notes Hendrickson. "One of my absolute favorite memories is when the wife texted me that she had signed off on the countertops and was pouring herself a glass of champagne. She had agonized over the bold statement of those countertops, but she will tell you today that it is one of her favorite parts of the home."

SOURCES

DINING ROOM
Chairs – Bernhardt Furniture, Lenoir, NC
Chandelier – Visual Comfort & Co., *visualcomfort.com*

ENTRY OFF DINING ROOM
Console – Noir Furniture, Atlanta, GA
Hanging lantern lighting – Owners' collection
Mirror – Mirror Home, Commerce, CA
Area rug – Loloi Rugs, *loloirugs.com*

KITCHEN
Cabinetry designed and fabricated by Wellborn, Naffco, Tampa, FL
Island designed and fabricated by Wellborn, Naffco, Tampa, FL
Hood – Naffco, Tampa, FL
Backsplash – Cambria Skara Brae, Plazza Natural Stone, Tampa, FL
Stools – Greely, McGee & Co, Draper, UT
Lighting – Visual Comfort & Co., *visualcomfort.com*

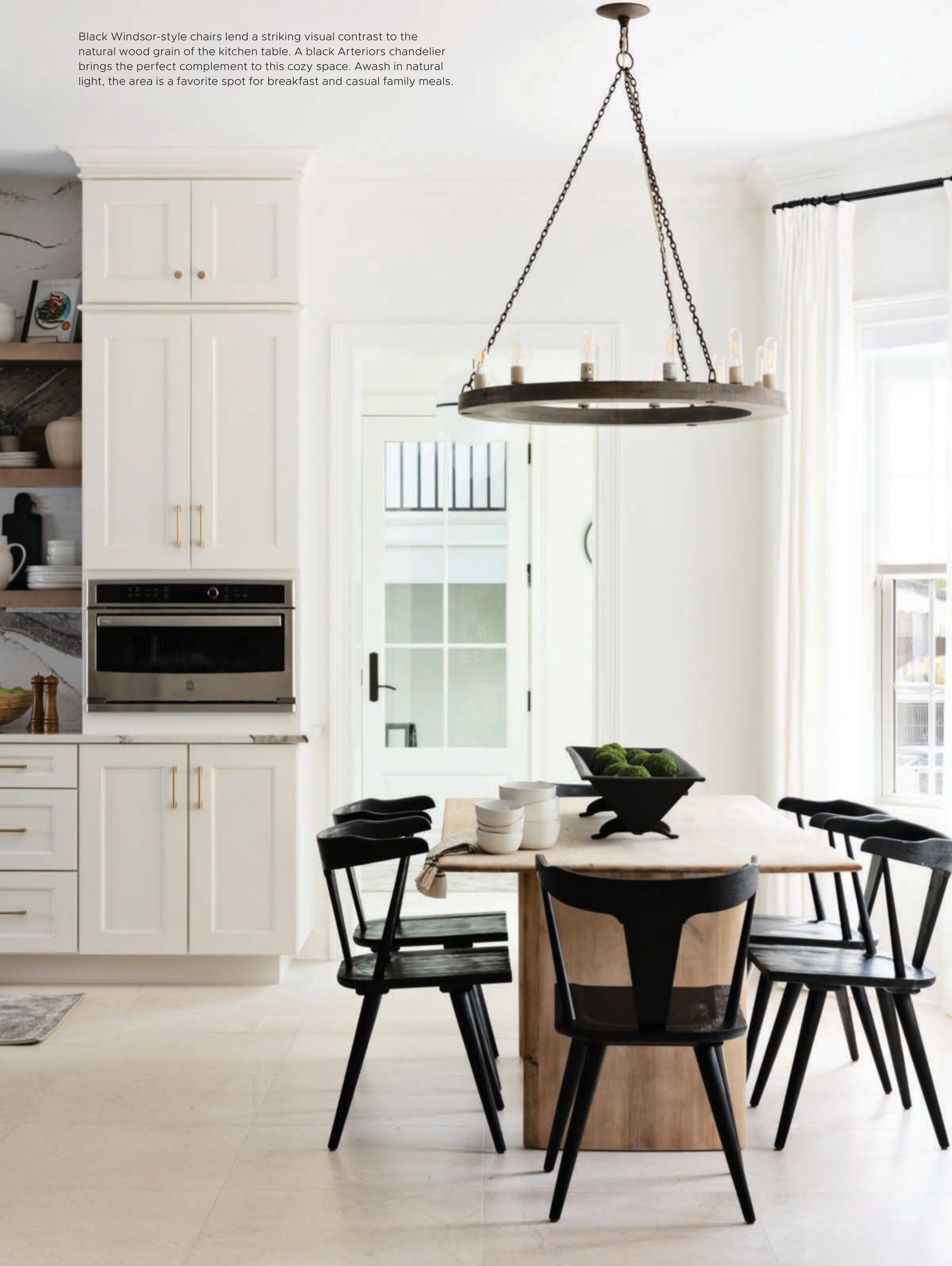
POWDER ROOM
Floating sink – Signature Hardware, Erianger, KY
Sconces – Visual Comfort & Co., *visualcomfort.com*
Wall covering – Cole & Son, *cole-and-son.com*

BREAKFAST AREA
Table – Crate and Barrel, *crateandbarrel.com*
Chairs – Owners' collection
Lighting – Visual Comfort & Co., *visualcomfort.com*

THROUGHOUT
Architect – Cooper, Johnson, Smith, Peterson, Tampa, FL
Builder – Sample Properties, Tampa, FL
Landscape architect – LS Gardens, Tampa, FL
Flooring – Casale Design Source, Tampa, FL
Front of home lighting and sconces – Lantern and Scroll, Charlotte, NC

A multi-use butler's pantry and mudroom feature a secondary sink, desk space, cabinets for snacks and small appliances, and lockers for the kids' gear.

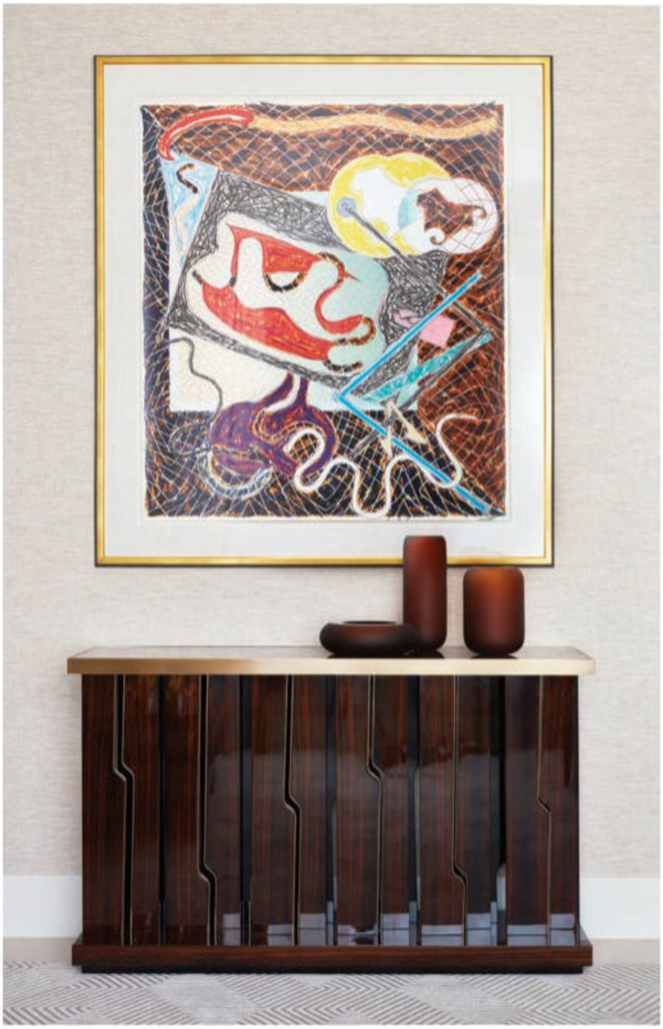
Black Windsor-style chairs lend a striking visual contrast to the natural wood grain of the kitchen table. A black Arteriors chandelier brings the perfect complement to this cozy space. Awash in natural light, the area is a favorite spot for breakfast and casual family meals.



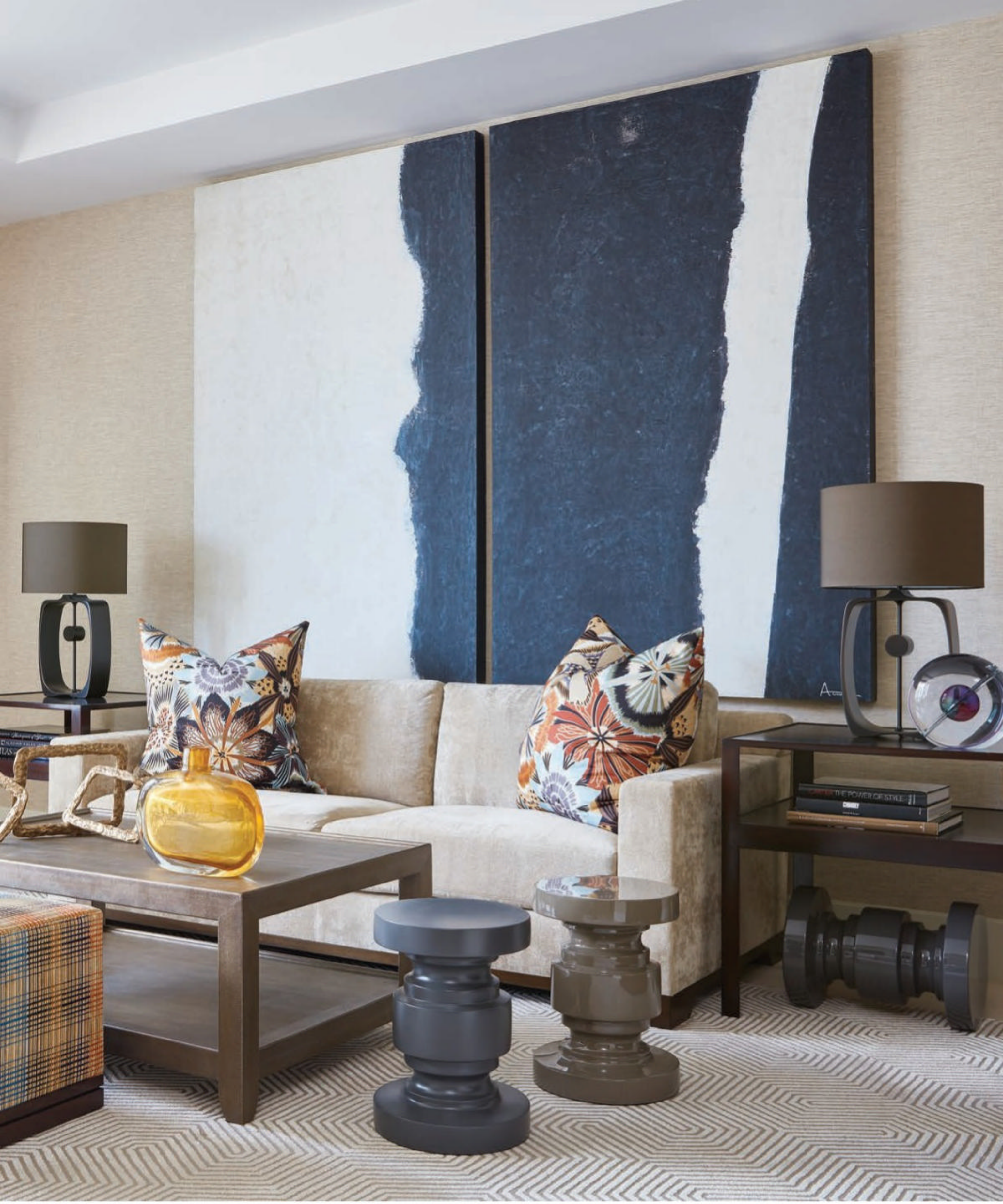
MIXING MOXIE

IN PALM BEACH, A DESIGNER ENLIVENS A SUPERIOR ART COLLECTION WITH A STYLISH BLEND OF PATTERNS AND TEXTURES

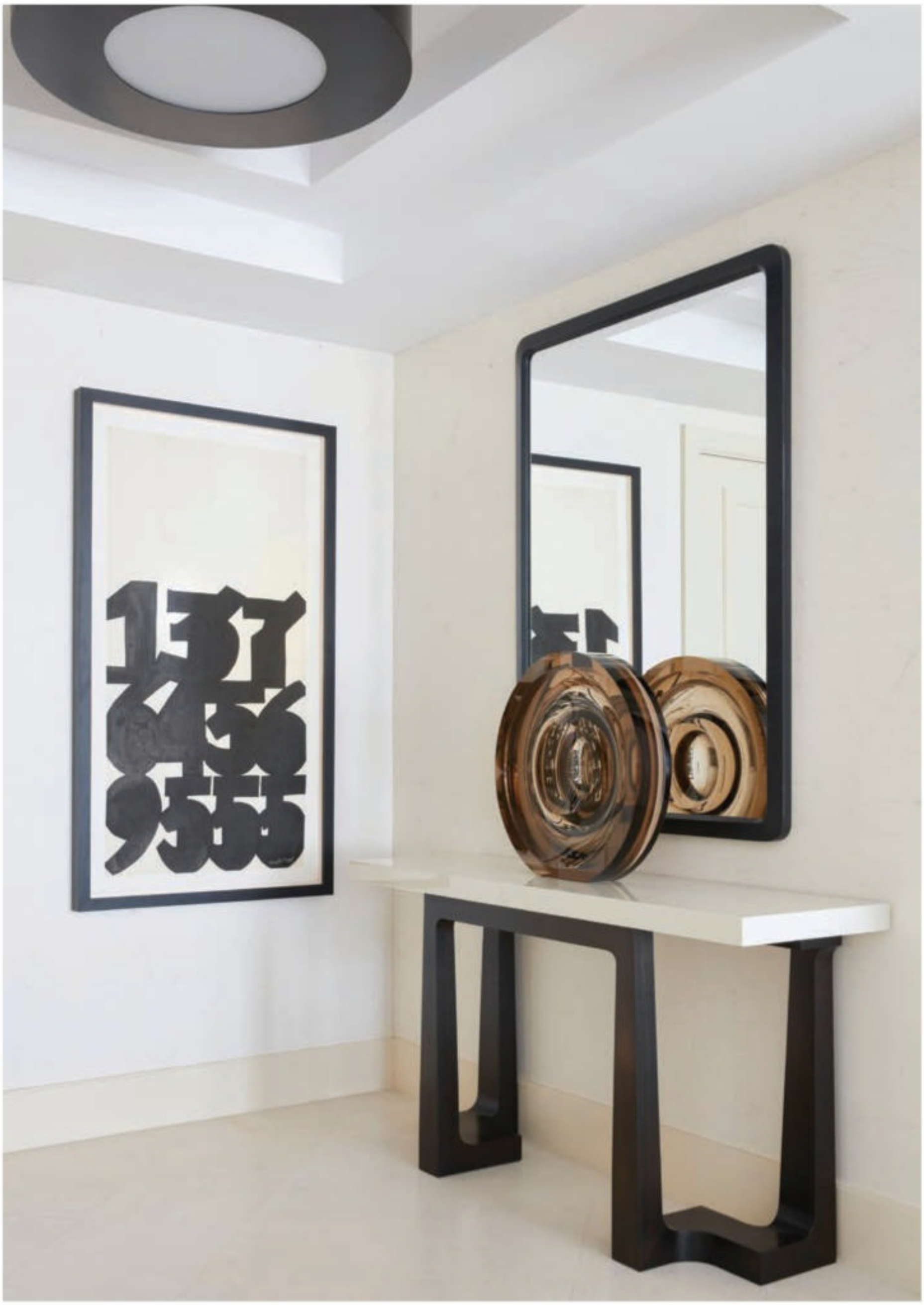
INTERIOR DESIGN
DAVID MITCHELL BROWN, PALM BEACH, FL
TEXT PAIGE BOWERS
PHOTOGRAPHY CARMEL BRANTLEY, OCEAN RIDGE, FL



ABOVE: Using the homeowner's Frank Stella painting as a focal point, designer David Mitchell Brown created a lovely vignette by arranging amber-hued Murano glass pieces on top of a Macassar wood and brass inlay console.



ABOVE: “When I get goosebumps, then I know I am mixing patterns and motifs in a way that will be electric and add energy to a room,” Brown says of his work in the homeowner’s study. A large black-and-white piece by Miami artist Austin Kerr lends gravitas to the room, while floral Missoni fabrics on the throw pillows, a Courbin bronze sculpture on the coffee table, and a Holly Hunt ottoman with plaid upholstery infuse the room with a sense of movement.

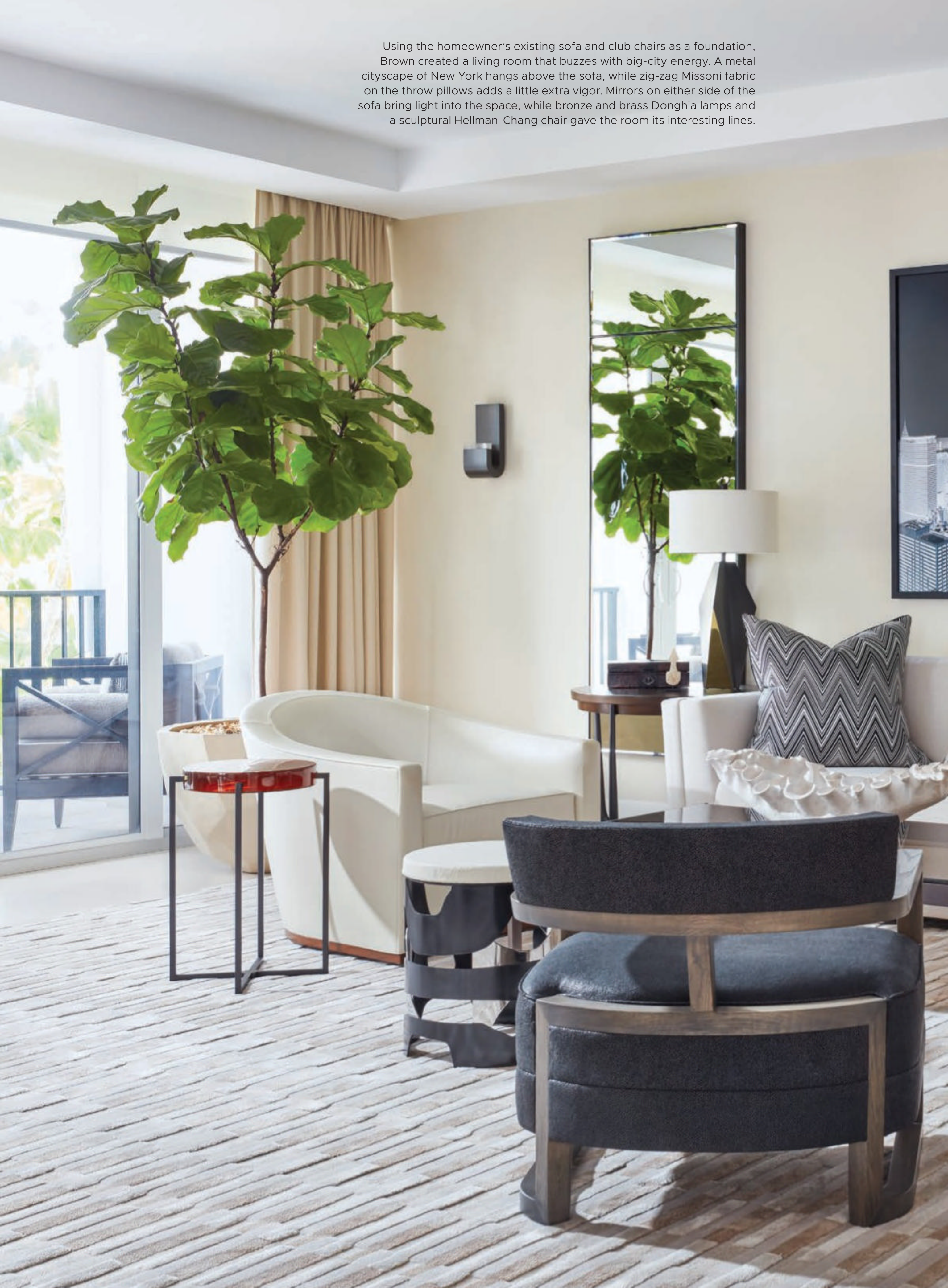


RIGHT: The residence's small entryway packs a big visual punch with a Lucite disk in front of a custom mirror with rounded edges. A custom light fixture from Holly Hunt repeats the circular motif, while an artwork with calligraphic numbers replicates the black structural elements that ground the space.

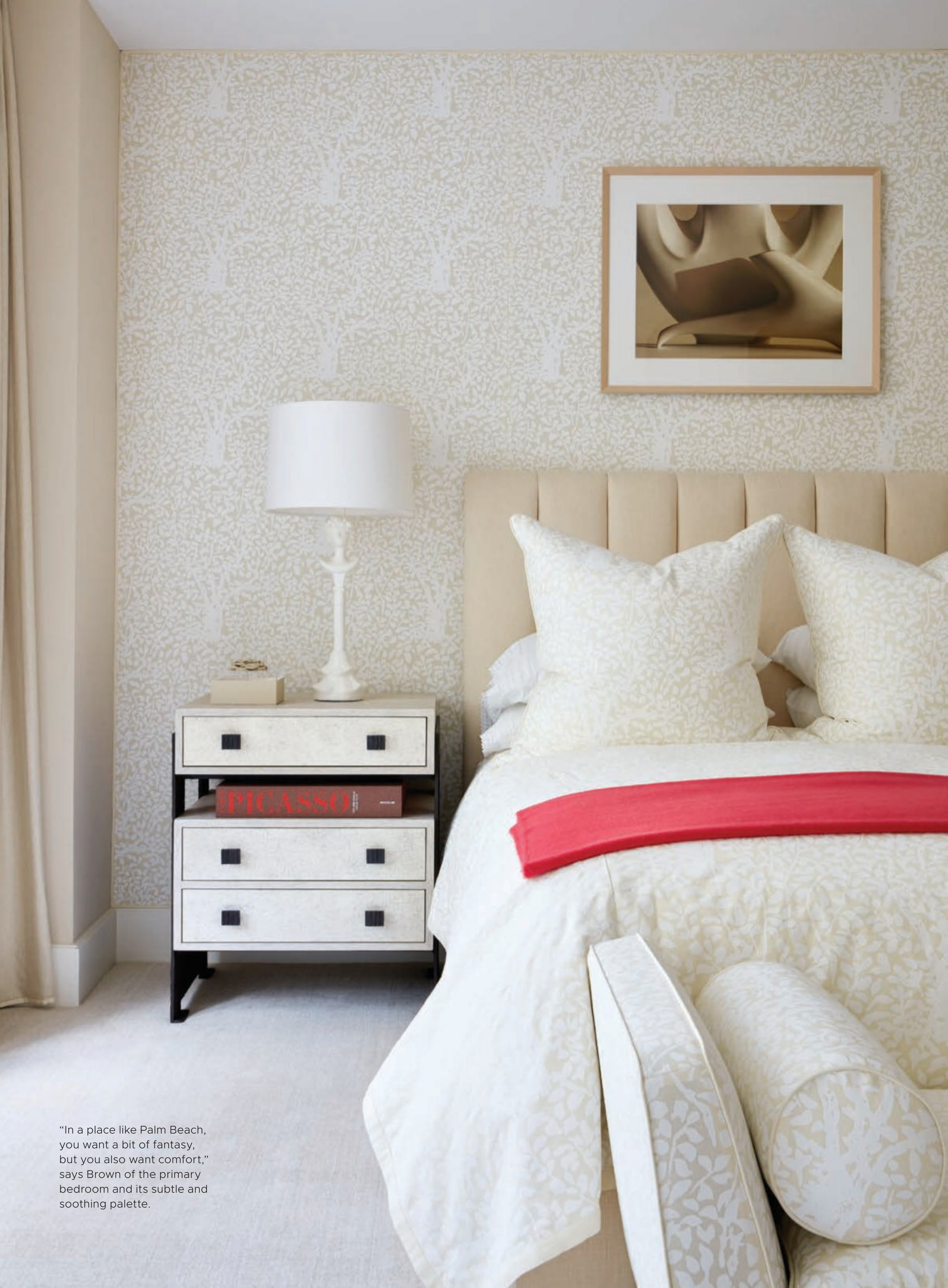
ABOUT THREE YEARS AGO, designer David Mitchell Brown was redesigning the lobby and hallways at the exclusive Dunster House residential building in Palm Beach when a resident took an interest in the work he was doing. The woman had an apartment full of art and furniture she had collected over the years, but felt it lacked a sense of energy and excitement. She invited Brown to look at her residence, and after a long conversation, hired him to overhaul it.

"We had the art, which we wanted to enhance, not fight," says Brown. "The style was more architectural than decorative, but also appreciative of beautiful fabrics

LEFT: With the homeowner's existing dining room table and painting of a classical Roman sculpture, Brown opted for a fresh take on an Old World-inspired space. He covered the walls with custom Phillip Jeffries metallic wallpaper, reupholstered the existing dining room chairs with a quartz-hued Holly Hunt fabric, and embellished the room with medieval-inspired bronze spikes, flower pod Murano glass bowls, and a sleek chandelier.



Using the homeowner's existing sofa and club chairs as a foundation, Brown created a living room that buzzes with big-city energy. A metal cityscape of New York hangs above the sofa, while zig-zag Missoni fabric on the throw pillows adds a little extra vigor. Mirrors on either side of the sofa bring light into the space, while bronze and brass Donghia lamps and a sculptural Hellman-Chang chair gave the room its interesting lines.



“In a place like Palm Beach, you want a bit of fantasy, but you also want comfort,” says Brown of the primary bedroom and its subtle and soothing palette.

> “A lot of [mixing] is about instinct,” says designer David Mitchell Brown. “There’s a certain sense of excitement when I put two patterns together and feel the energy behind that. Sometimes the mixing is about certain colors or styles, but other times it’s about things being in opposition to each other.”

ABOVE: A nook by the entry hall reveals an eclectic bench that was part of the homeowner’s collection. “I couldn’t resist putting it together with that artwork,” says Brown. “The lines are so similar.”

and beautiful quality furniture. This was a dream client because she gave me free rein to use the things I loved most in her home.”

After some days of shopping, Brown began rearranging and rethinking the rooms in his client’s apartment into what would eventually yield an end result as dazzling and pattern-forward as the owner’s art collection.

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In Brown’s hands, florals and plaids dance among bold black-and-white stripes. Shimmering ombré walls envelop guests in an Old World-inspired dining room full of modern twists. Geometric lamps repeat shapes and colors found in the collected art,

RIGHT: A silk upholstered bench was paired with an abstract to enhance the artwork without taking anything away from it.

while structural benches covered in pony hair or silk stand on their own as masterpieces in their own right. Fusing these seemingly disparate elements together, Brown says, "adds harmony to a room like a musical score."

All in all, working with superior art and a willing client was a cherished treat for Brown. "The homeowner really stepped up to the plate and I was blessed to work with someone I became friends with," says the designer. "I can't look at this project without smiling."

RIGHT: When Brown began working in the primary bedroom, the homeowner already had the upholstered headboard and draperies. He added alpine oak nightstands, fresh Schumacher fabrics on the bedding, and a silver leaf and ivory chenille bench at the foot of the bed to "keep the space in that happy, holiday place."

BELOW: A Holly Hunt chair positioned in front of black-and-white daisy photographs anchors a pleasant seating area in the residence's primary bedroom.

SOURCES

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Sofa – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Pillow fabric – Missoni, *missoni.com*
Armchair – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Cocktail table – Owner's collection
Side table – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Lamps – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Ottoman – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Decorative stools – J Nelson Inc., SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Area rug – Owner's collection

DINING AREA

Table and chairs – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL

Chandelier – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Wall covering – Phillip Jeffries South Florida, SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Sculptures – Corbin Bronze, *corbinbronze.com*

ENTRY

Console – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Mirror – Pierce-Archer, Palm Beach, FL
Round sculpture on console – J Nelson Inc., SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Lighting – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL

LIVING ROOM

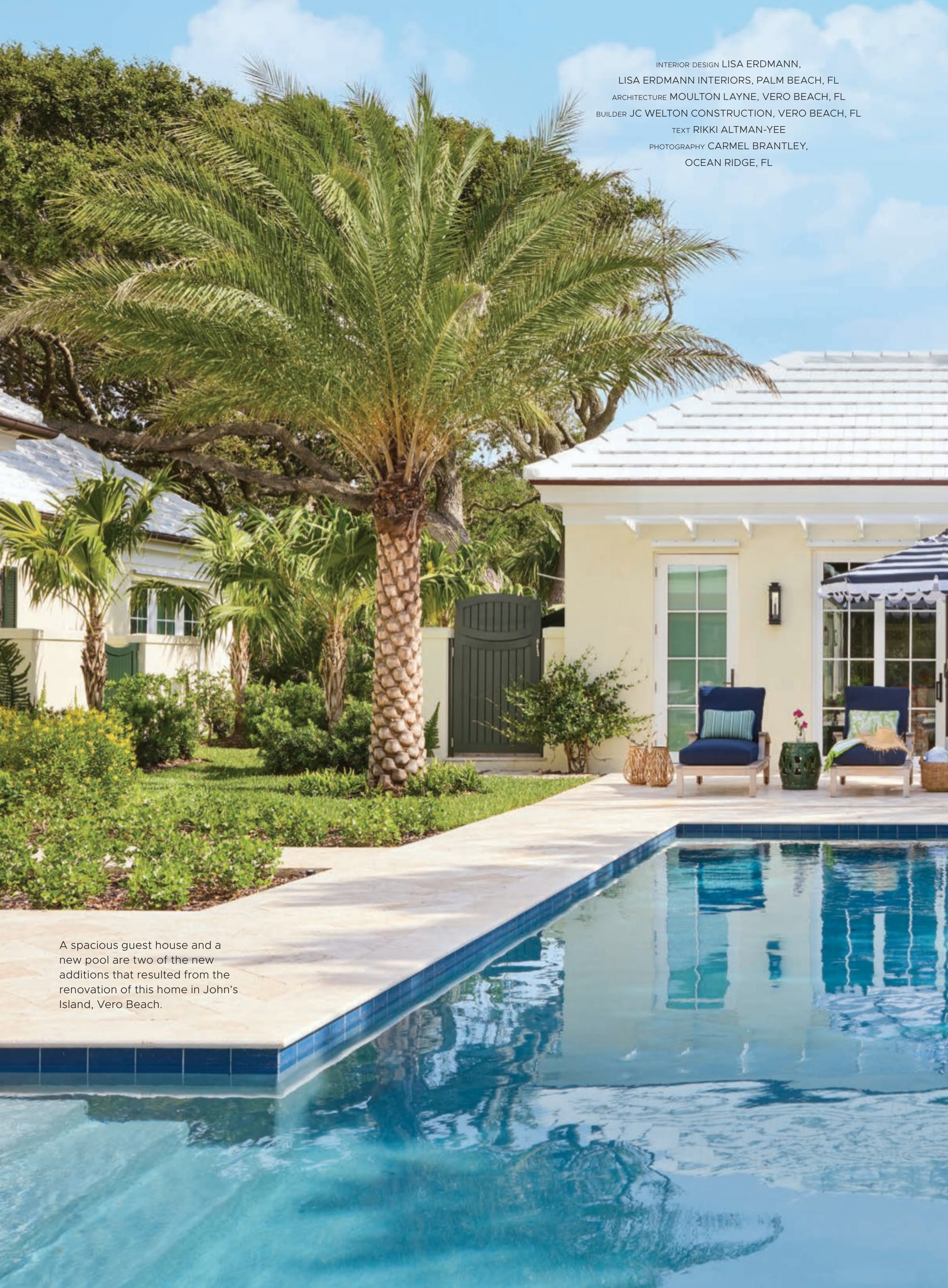
Sofa – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Pillow fabric – Missoni, *missoni.com*
Club chairs – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Accent chair – Hellman-Chang, Dawsonville, GA
Cocktail table – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Side tables – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Lamps – Donghia, Kravet, DCOTA, Dania Beach, FL
Drink tables – J Nelson Inc., SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Area rug – Owner's collection

GUEST BEDROOM

Bed and headboard designed by David Mitchell Brown, Palm Beach, FL
Bedside table – Gregorius Pineo, Inglewood, CA
Bedding, bench, and bench fabric – Quadrille Wallpaper & Fabrics, DCOTA, Dania Beach, FL
Wall upholstery – Quadrille Wallpaper & Fabrics, DCOTA, Dania Beach, FL

PRIMARY BEDROOM

Bed and headboard designed by David Mitchell Brown, Palm Beach, FL
Bedside table, dresser, side table – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL
Floor lamp – Ron Dier, Santa Ana, CA
Bench – Nancy Corizine, Carson, CA
Club chair – Holly Hunt, Miami, FL

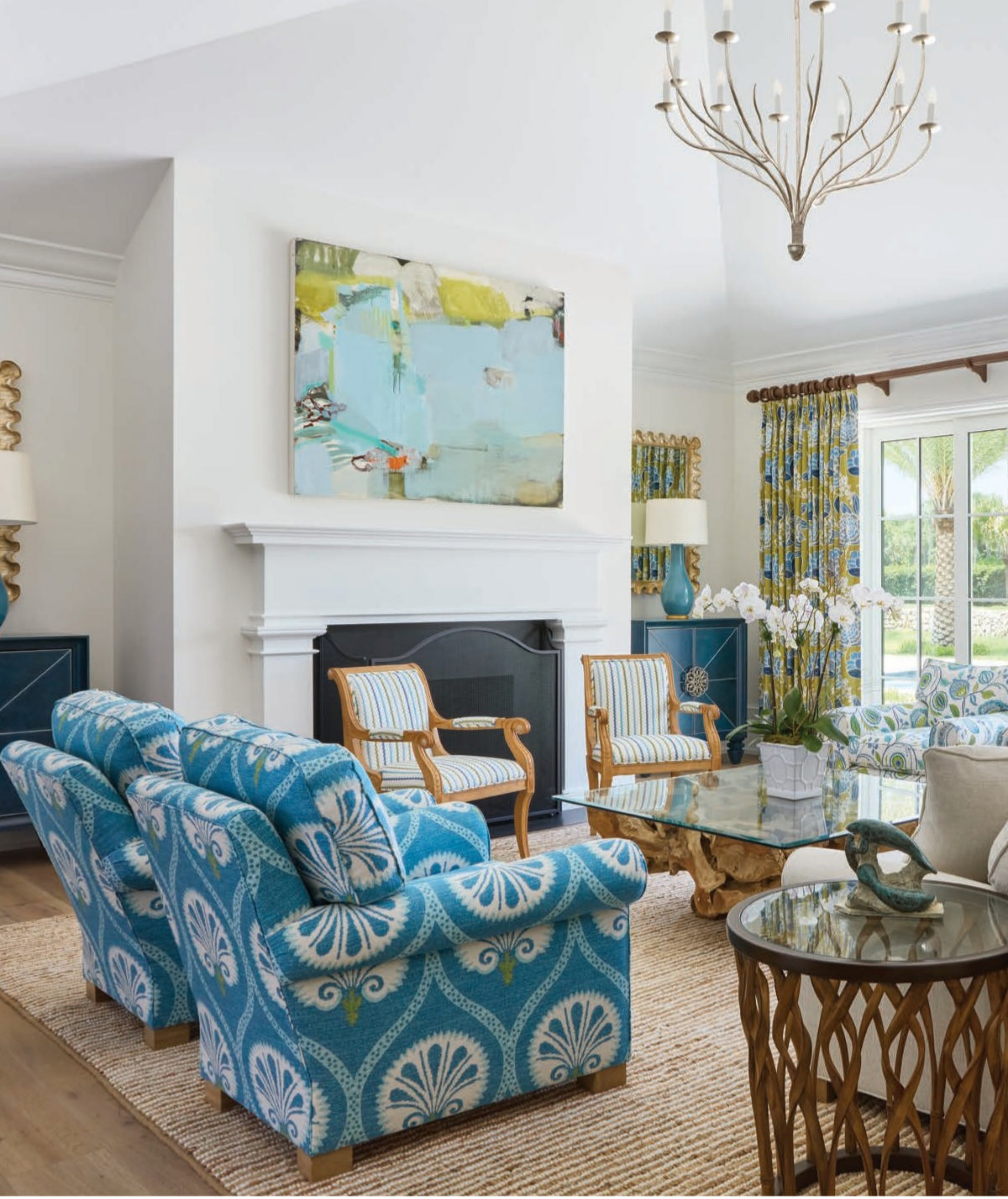


INTERIOR DESIGN LISA ERDMANN,
LISA ERDMANN INTERIORS, PALM BEACH, FL
ARCHITECTURE MOULTON LAYNE, VERO BEACH, FL
BUILDER JC WELTON CONSTRUCTION, VERO BEACH, FL
TEXT RIKKI ALTMAN-YEE
PHOTOGRAPHY CARMEL BRANTLEY,
OCEAN RIDGE, FL

A spacious guest house and a new pool are two of the new additions that resulted from the renovation of this home in John's Island, Vero Beach.

New Beginnings

VIBRANT COLOR AND STRIKING PATTERNS GUIDE THE RENOVATION OF A VERO BEACH RESIDENCE ON JOHN'S ISLAND

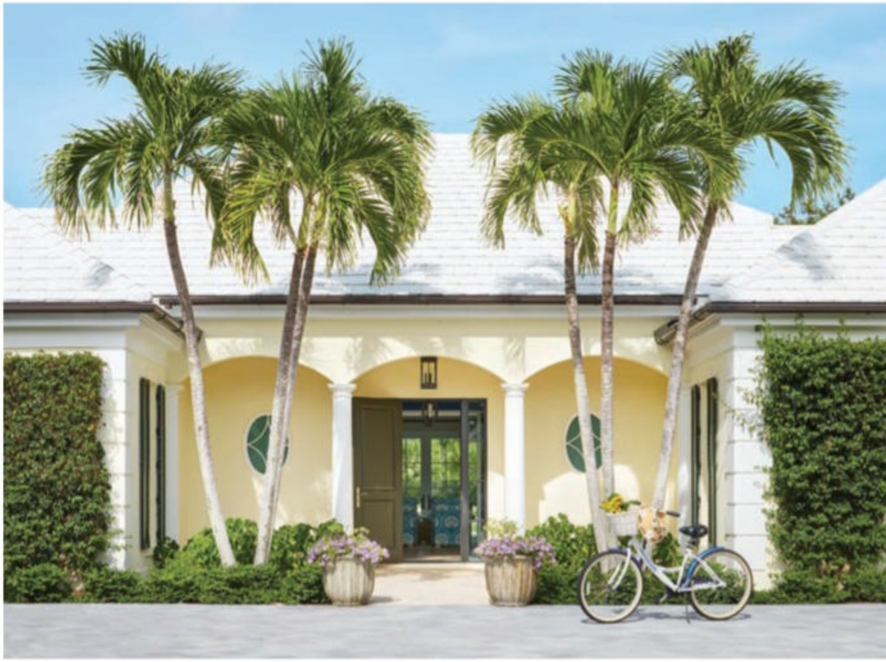


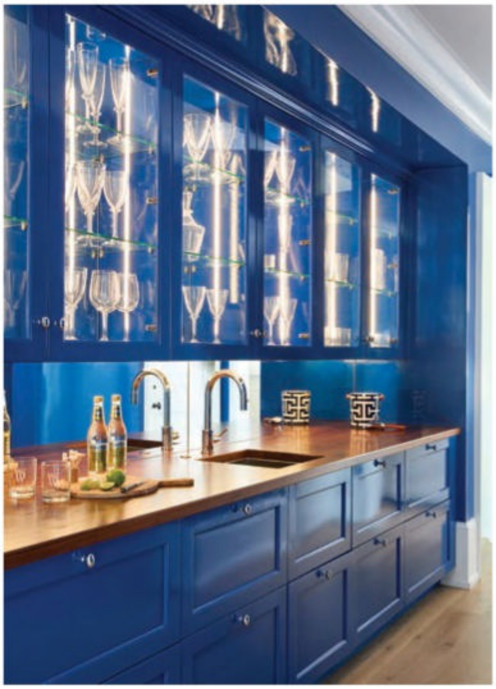
ABOVE: Many of the pieces in the main house's living room are part of the homeowners' previous collection, including the beige sofa and the painting above the fireplace by Fort Lauderdale artist Madeline Denaro. Interior designer Lisa Erdmann supplemented the space with an Ondine chandelier from Ironware International, and tables from Palecek and Artesia.

WHEN A MARRIED COUPLE purchased a 4,500-square-foot, three-bedroom home on John's Island in Vero Beach seven years ago, they knew it would require a new roof, new floors, and a better kitchen. Once the pandemic took hold, they began considering other adjustments, like a home office for the husband. And after a visit with an architect, the project ballooned into a head-to-toe renovation that would add a new primary bedroom and a guest house, and grow their living space by 1,700 square feet.

Trusting a friend's referral, the homeowners reached out to Lisa Erdmann in Palm Beach to handle the interiors. "They wanted this to feel very much like Florida," she recalls. "It's a home for friends and family. That's how they want to live in the house: very casually." As the expansion called for new

BELOW: Erdmann's design involvement ensured the home's freshly updated interiors now pair masterfully with its exterior, which features a "Palm Beach pastel" façade, lush tropical foliage, and Bermuda-style architectural details.



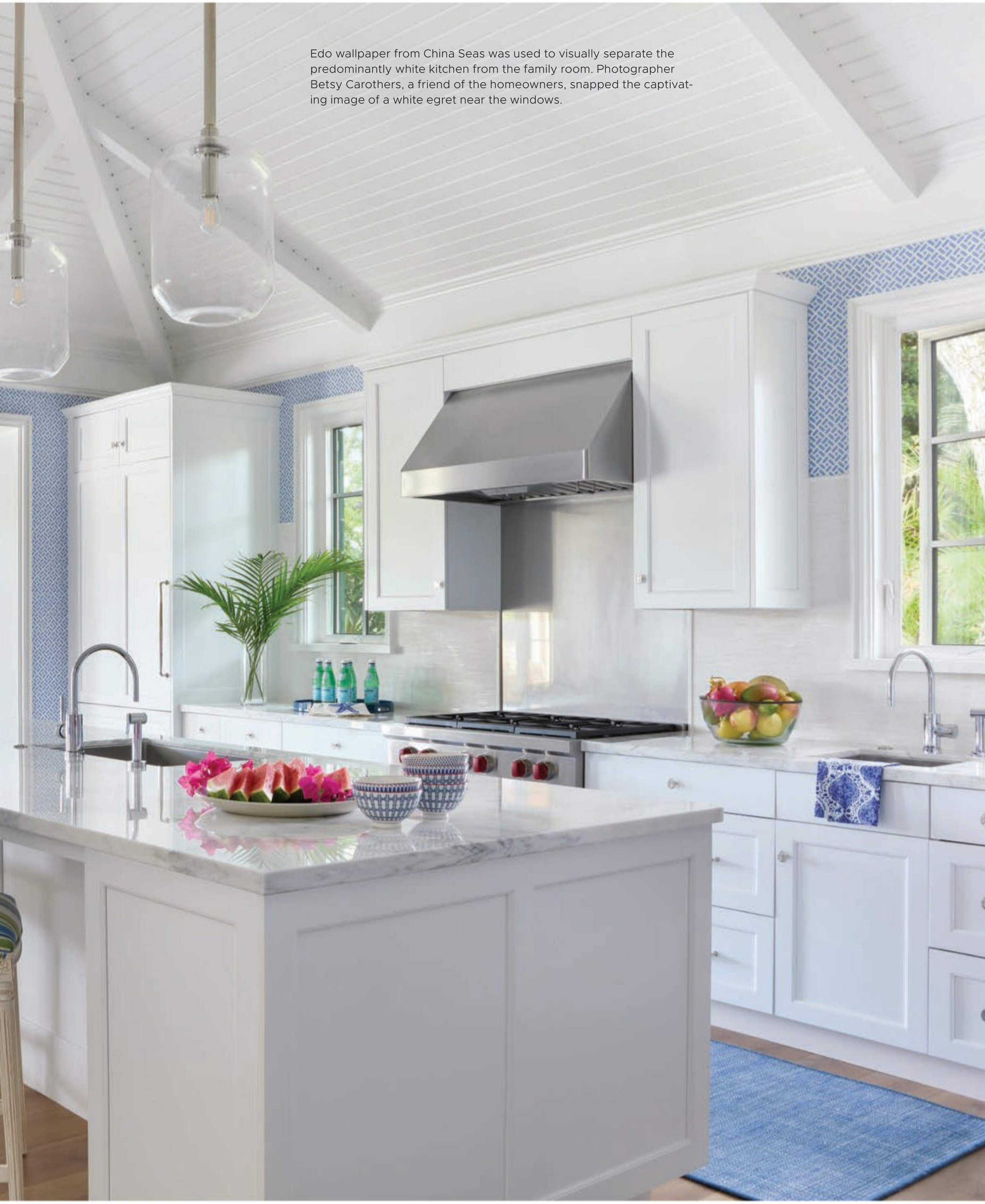


ABOVE: After falling in love with a similar treatment she noticed in a jewelry store, the wife insisted on the Delft Blue shade from Fine Paints of Europe for the home's bar. "It's fabulous," she says. "Really, truly fun."

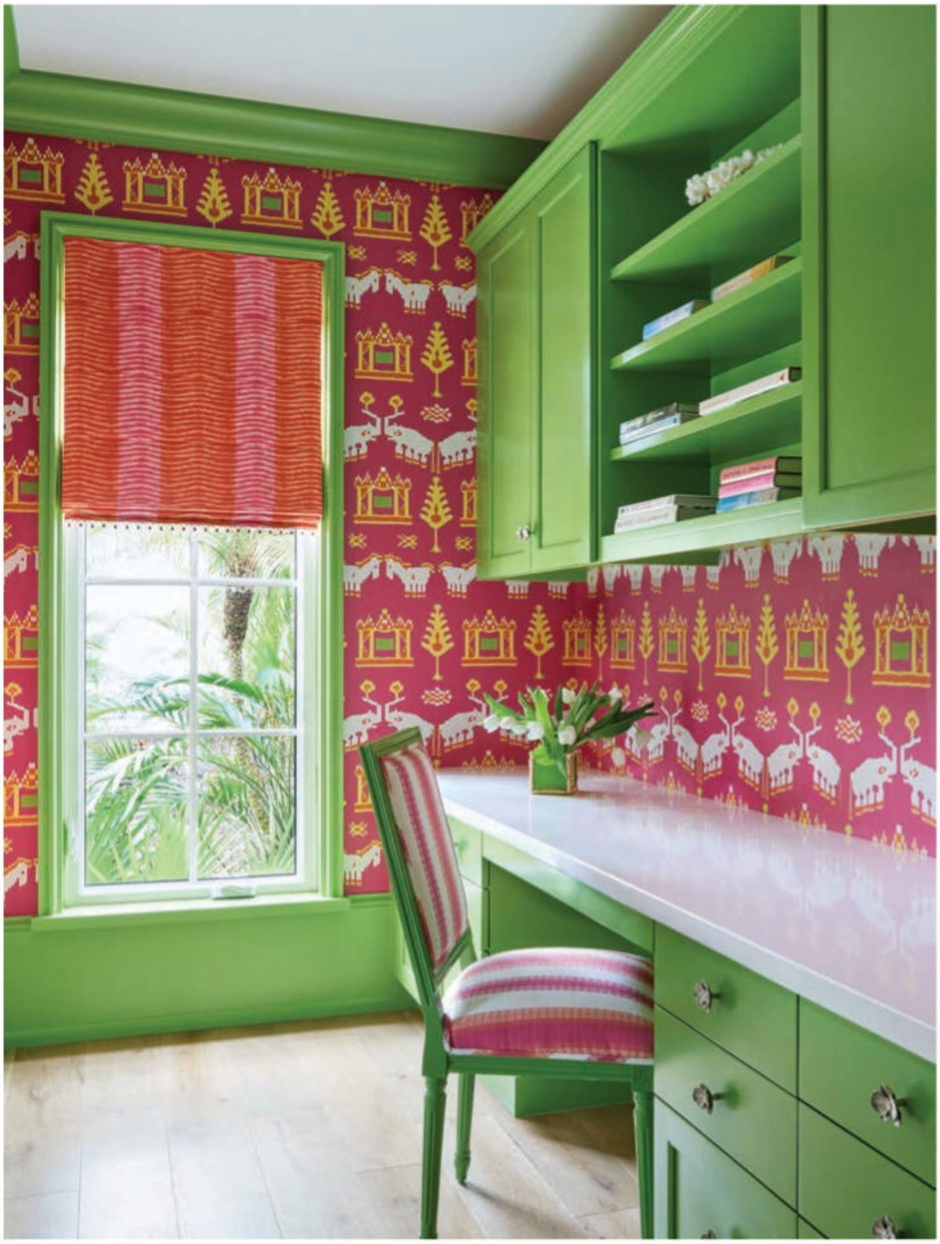
furnishings, the challenge was to create a look that also incorporated pieces the couple had grown fond of while taking the style in a fresh direction. "Lisa was willing to work with us," says the wife, a retired schoolteacher. "The second I met her, I felt like I was working with a friend."

The homeowners had already chosen white cabinetry designed by Dawn Wallace Designs and fabricated by Wood Mode, along with Estuary Oak engineered flooring. "It was kind of a blank canvas and we really just added a lot of fun color and pattern," Erdmann explains.

It all begins in the living room, where the upholstered seating features three different patterns, ranging from stripes the designer added to the client's existing armchairs to large-scale modern florals on new club chairs. Erdmann introduced yet another print for the drapes. The walls in that room were



Edo wallpaper from China Seas was used to visually separate the predominantly white kitchen from the family room. Photographer Betsy Carothers, a friend of the homeowners, snapped the captivating image of a white egret near the windows.



LEFT: The main house's office fearlessly embraces color and pattern with Parade wallpaper from Thibaut and bold lime paint on all millwork.

RIGHT: China Seas wallpaper in the guest house's mini kitchen was used to embolden what would have otherwise been a monochromatic room.

painted Cloud White by Benjamin Moore, but a nearby hallway extending to the primary bedroom goes in an entirely different direction thanks to a dose of high-gloss traditional oil-based enamel in a deeply saturated blue. Aside from those two spaces, every other room is covered in wallpaper.

"I've never had so much wallpaper in my life," the homeowner admits. "I was initially scared of using it in the kitchen, but now, I absolutely love it."

Considering the wife's office is predominantly papered in raspberry, lime and lemon shades, and the guest house features a heavy hand of royal blue, it is natural to wonder if her husband was equally enthused with the color selections. "He was involved in everything and also wanted to give his stamp of approval," says Erdmann. "It was a true joint effort."

Looking back, the designer is proud she was able to repurpose many of the couples' existing pieces and bring forth a truly vibrant palette. "They were game for bold patterns and color," says Erdmann. "What else can a designer ask for?"

ABOVE AND LEFT: Teak furnishings from Gloster and Serena and Lily lend the desired tropical vibe in the pool deck.

SOURCES

LIVING AREA

Sofa – Owners' collection
Teal club chairs – Lisa Erdmann Interiors, Private Workroom, West Palm Beach, FL
Fabric – Thibaut Fabrics, Jeffrey Michaels Showroom, SFDP, Hollywood, FL
White/blue club chairs – Ferrell Mittman, High Point, NC
Fabric – Kravet/Clarke & Clarke, Kravet Showroom, SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Armchairs – Owners' collection
Cocktail table – Artesia, Miami, FL
Side table – Palecek, Richmond, CA
Artwork above fireplace – Artist Madeline Denaro, Owners' collection
Lamps – Excentricities, Jupiter, FL
Chandelier – Ironware International, Jerry Pair Showroom, SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Drapery fabric – Thibaut Fabrics, Jeffrey Michaels Showroom, SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Area rug – Patterson Flynn Martin, Schumacher Showroom, DCOTA, Dania Beach, FL

BAR AREA

Cabinetry designed by Dawn Wallace Designs, Vero Beach, FL, and fabricated by Wood-Mode, *wood-mode.com*

KITCHEN

Cabinetry and island designed by Dawn Wallace Designs, Vero Beach, FL, and fabricated by Wood-Mode, *wood-mode.com*
Stool upholstery –Thibaut Fabric, Jeffrey Michaels Showroom, SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Pendant lighting – Visual Comfort & Co., High Point, NC
Wall covering – China Seas Wallpaper, Quadrille Showroom, DCOTA, Dania Beach, FL

FAMILY AREA

Club chairs – Lee Furniture, High Point, NC
Fabric – Thibaut Fabrics, Jeffrey Michaels Showroom, SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Armchairs – Thibaut Furniture and Fabric, Jeffrey Michaels Showroom, SFDP, Hollywood, FL
Cocktail table – Creative Metal & Wood, Thomasville, NC
Area rug – Patterson Flynn Martin, Schumacher Showroom, DCOTA, Dania Beach, FL

WIFE'S OFFICE

Cabinetry designed by Dawn Wallace Designs, Vero Beach, FL, and fabricated by Wood-Mode, *wood-mode.com*
Chair fabric and wall covering – Thibaut Fabrics, Jeffrey Michaels Showroom, SFDP, Hollywood, FL

GUEST HOUSE/PANTRY

Blue/white wall covering – China Seas, Quadrille Showroom, DCOTA, Dania Beach, FL

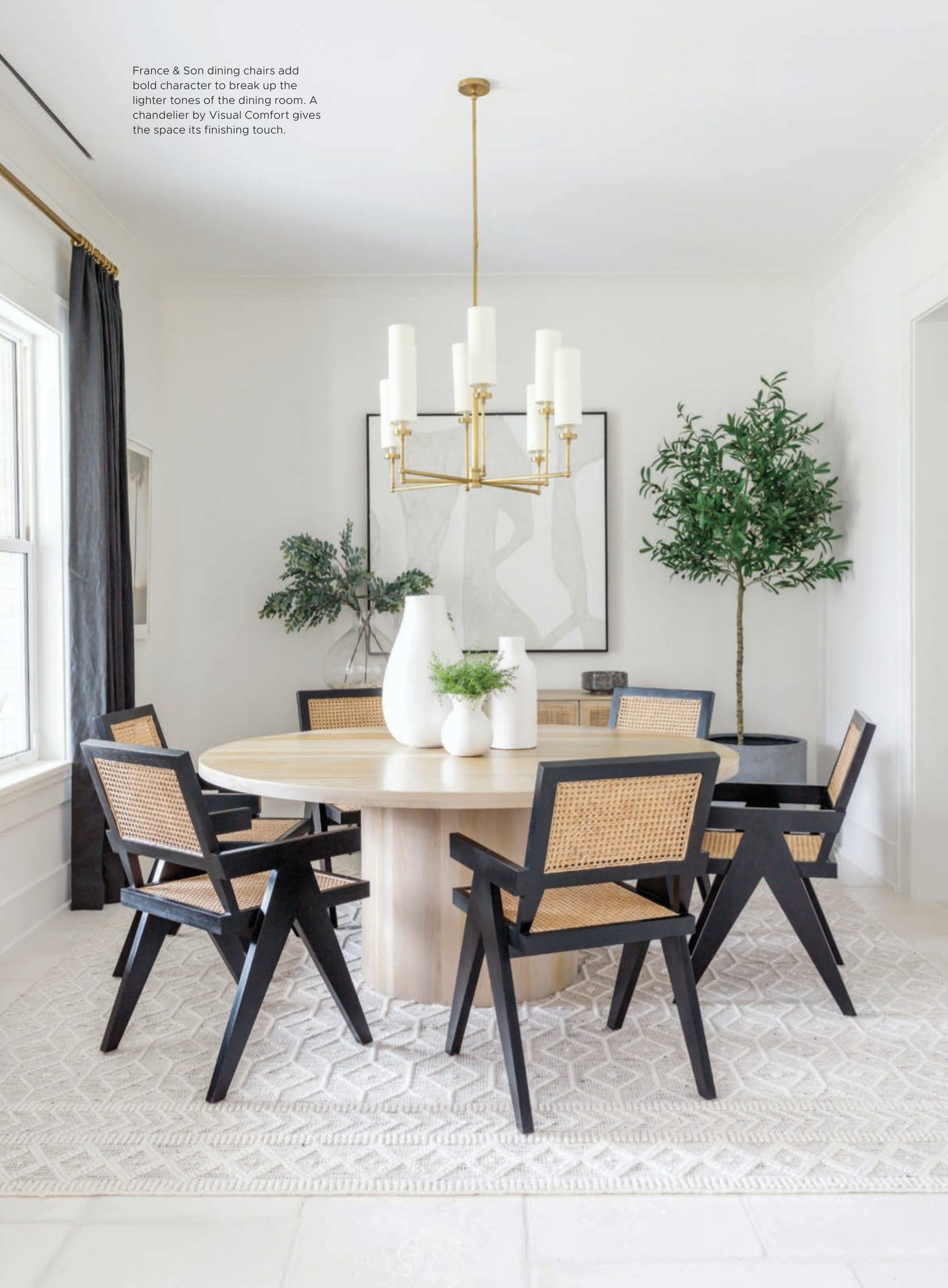
PATIO AND POOL DECK

Dining table, chairs, and lounges – Gloster Furniture, Gloster Showroom, DCOTA, Dania Beach, FL
Umbrellas – Island Living & Patio, West Palm Beach, FL
Wicker lanterns – Serena and Lily, Palm Beach, FL
Pool fabricated by JC Welton Construction, Vero Beach, FL

Custom Coastal

THANKS TO SAVVY HELP FROM A DESIGN TEAM, A NEW BUILD IN PONTE VEDRA BEACH IS EVERYTHING ITS YOUNG OWNERS ENVISIONED

France & Son dining chairs add bold character to break up the lighter tones of the dining room. A chandelier by Visual Comfort gives the space its finishing touch.

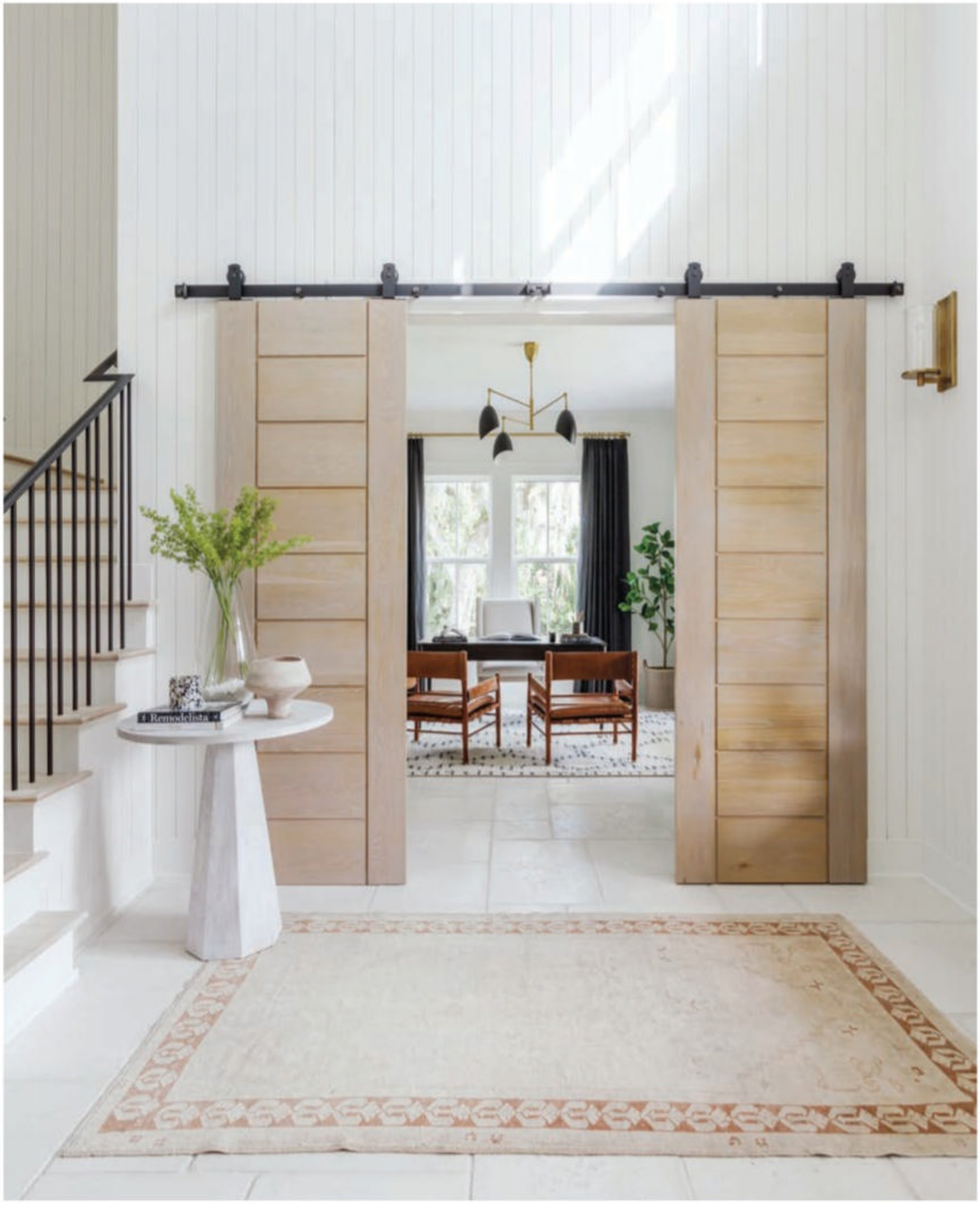


SOMETIMES, STARTING FROM SCRATCH is simply meant to be.

Soon after finding out they would be having twins, parents Blake and Liza Griffis set out to find a dream home in Ponte Vedra Beach that would accommodate their growing family of five. But, after months of exhaustive hunting, it became clear no such place existed. They would have to build that house themselves.

After switching strategies, the couple found an ideal lot on the Intracoastal with outstanding views of the water, and were soon working

BELOW: The Peacock Pavers flooring that runs through the first floor of the residence was the very first design decision, which set the tone for the clean, white palette. A large rug helps break up the expanse of white. The office, across the high-ceilinged foyer, boasts sliding barn doors designed by Leonard and made by a local craftsman.



with an architect to create their ideal dwelling: a cozy home with high ceilings, large windows to flood the interiors with natural light, and plenty of room for the twins and their older sister to grow. In terms of interiors, their wants checked off a few boxes: clean, uncluttered, contemporary, coastal. Enter designer Lauren Leonard. "She knew exactly what we were looking for from the very beginning," says Liza. "She got us right away."

No surprise there. Leonard is well-versed in the art of balancing form and function, and she helped the young couple zero in on the pieces that would fit together to create the ideal party of five. "The homeowners and I were very in sync with the design plan," says

LEFT: Leonard pulled from the gray and white tiles on the kitchen backsplash to create the color palette for the rest of the open kitchen and dining space. The whitewashed beams over the island provide the room's wow factor.

BELOW: A geometric console and raffia poufs strike the ideal balance of design sentiments at the entry to the primary bedroom.

Leonard. "That made for a great collaboration."

The design process got started with a muted color palette of whites, grays, and blues that pulls in the serenity of the water right outside the door—a much wanted vibe in a house with three young tykes running around.

In terms of material selections, Liza was realistic about her choices. "We definitely wanted things that could withstand actually living on them," she says. That meant hard-working flooring in the form of concrete pavers on the first level's high-traffic areas, and performance fabrics everywhere. Single-bench cushions on the living room sofas are

less prone to lumpiness, and stain-resistant porcelain countertops in the kitchen hold up to wear and tear better than marble.

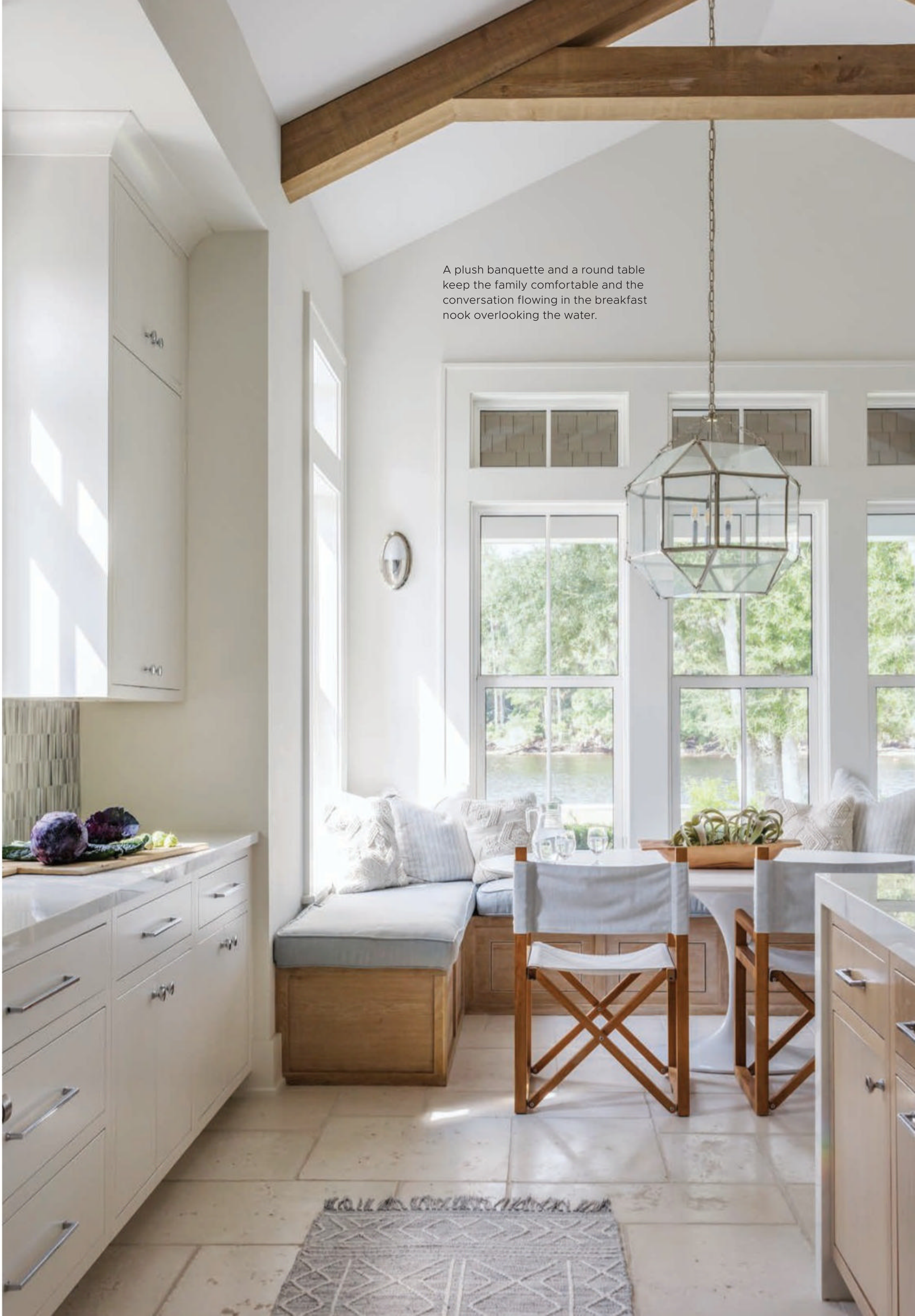
Like many modern families, the Griffises live in their kitchen, so they insisted on certain touches like open metal shelving, which gives the space plenty of texture and contrast.

While the aforementioned neutral palette keeps things relaxed, this clan also wanted bold color in certain spots. That included the family hangout room on the second floor, which dials up the fun with a bright sectional and a bar area with geometric tile. To really show off the room's vaulted ceiling, Leonard added tongue-and-groove boards in a sky blue, and then painted the beams white for contrast.

Although the kids were an important part of the thought process, they were a little too young to be thought partners in the design. The four-year-old's request for a bedroom with rainbows and unicorns was answered with something just as pretty, but a

LEFT: Blue tile and cabinetry add beachy sophistication to this multipurpose room.

The same whitewash used on the kitchen beams was also applied to the open shelving to the right of the living room fireplace, where the family spends a great deal of their time.



A plush banquette and a round table keep the family comfortable and the conversation flowing in the breakfast nook overlooking the water.

Thanks to its large sectional and comfortable textures, the family room is one of the house's most popular spots.

“The homeowners and I were very in sync with the design plan,” says interior designer Lauren Leonard. “That made for a great collaboration.”

LEFT: With its black-and-white botanical wallpaper and rattan boho daybed, the girls’ hangout room makes its purpose clear.

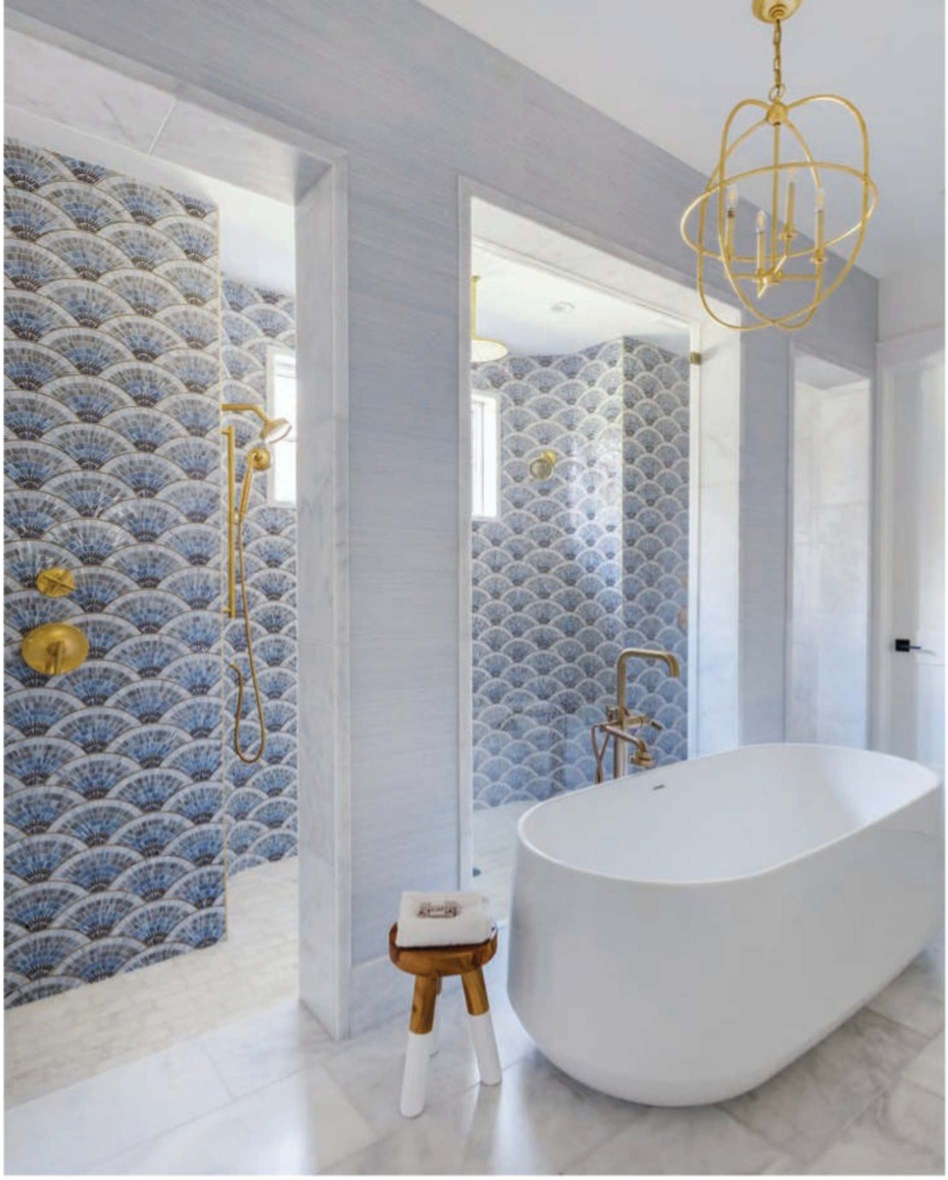
BELOW: The oldest daughter’s bathroom is girlish and contemporary with a brass and acrylic mirror, and a gem-like wall sconce. The wallpaper inspired the color palette, which Leonard carried into the attached bedroom.

little more enduring. Her ensuite bathroom is pretty in pink, with a sparkling wall sconce that matches the chandelier in her bedroom.

Knockout lighting is a theme throughout the home. “Illumination is the exclamation mark in a room,” says Leonard. “It’s a chance to do something special and different.” And she didn’t miss that chance, choosing seaside-inspired woven fixtures for many of the more casual family spaces, and going more grown-up with eye-catching and sophisticated chandeliers in the dining room and bedrooms.

The parents’ primary bedroom suite is an elegant space with subtly layered texture and color. The shell-shaped blue cut-glass tiles in the bathroom shower, a favorite of both the homeowners and their designer, were the jumping off point for the design. Against the deep blue background, the bathroom’s gold details look even more rich and lustrous.

While building from scratch had its “moments,” Liza says she wouldn’t have it any other way: “Building your dream home is a big undertaking, but when you put your trust in a great designer, it can be a dream come true.”



LEFT: The brass-trimmed blue tile in the primary bath is an all-around favorite. “It’s just a showpiece when you walk into the bathroom,” says Leonard. Her client agrees: “My favorite tilework in the house is the bathroom shower wall,” says Liza. Grasscloth wallpaper maintains the coastal vibe.

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DINING ROOM

Table – Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Chairs – France & Sons, *franceandson.com*
Buffet – Four Hands, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Artwork above buffet – Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Chandelier – Visual Comfort & Co., *visualcomfort.com*
Area rug – Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL

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Accent table –Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Sconce – Visual Comfort & Co., *visualcomfort.com*
Panel doors – Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Lighting – Visual Comfort & Co., *visualcomfort.com*
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GREAT ROOM/KITCHEN

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Club chairs – Palecek, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Cocktail table – Serena & Lily, *serenaandlily.com*
Living room chandelier – Palecek, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Kitchen lighting – Gabby Home, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Stools – Wisteria, *wisteria.com*
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FAMILY ROOM

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Ottoman – Taylor King, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Lighting – Palecek, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Area rug – Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic, Beach, FL

DAUGHTER’S BEDROOM

Daybed – World Market, *worldmarket.com*
Lighting – Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Wall covering – Schumacher, *fschumacher.com*
Area rug – Lulu and Georgia, *luluandgeorgia.com*

DAUGHTER’S BATHROOM

Cabinetry – Custom, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Mirror – Uttermost, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Sconce – Regina Andrews, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Wall covering – Lulie Wallace, *luliewallace.com*

PRIMARY BATH

Tub – Ferguson Bath, Kitchen & Lighting Gallery, *fergusonshowrooms.com*
Chandelier – Visual Comfort & Co., *visualcomfort.com*
Wall covering – Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL

PRIMARY BEDROOM

Bed – Palecek, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Side table – Universal Furniture, Atlantic Beach, FL
Lamp – Jamie Young, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Chandelier – Palecek, Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Area rug – Annie Selke, *annieselke.com*

THROUGHOUT

Ceiling designs by Lauren Leonard Interiors, Atlantic Beach, FL
Downstairs flooring – Peacock Pavers, *peacockpavers.com*
Upstairs and primary bedroom flooring – Bellacera Floors, *bellacerafloors.com*

The tile selected was a jumping off point for the color scheme of the primary bedroom. “A special light can elevate the entire space,” says Leonard of the Palecek chandelier here, which is both beach-inspired and sophisticated.

The Gem collection of fabrics by Nadia Watts for **KRAVET** features modern prints, velvets, and bouclés inspired by the iconic lamps of Louis Comfort Tiffany, Watts' great-great grandfather. *kravet.com*

The Adara pendant by **HUDSON VALLEY LIGHTING GROUP** mixes metal and glass to create a layered look. *hvlgroup.com*

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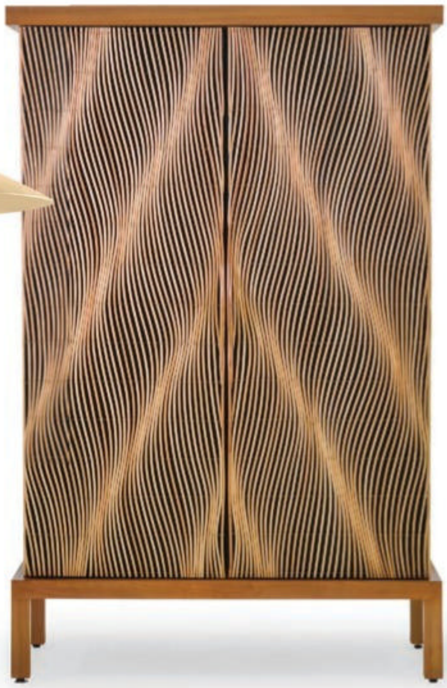
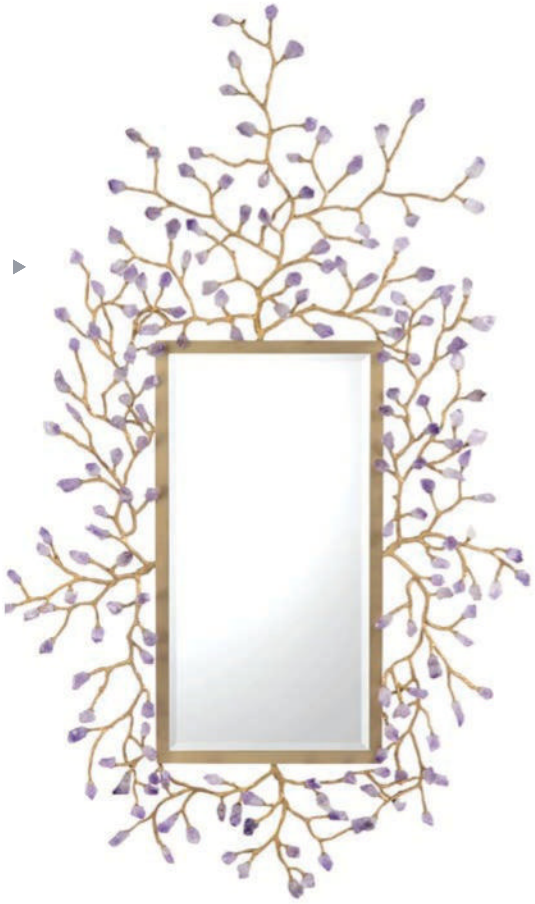
The new ping pong table from **FOUR HANDS** is made of fine Guanacaste wood that can only improve one's game. *fourhands.com*

Made of cast aluminum in an antique brass finish, the gleaming gold tone on the Serpent accent table by **CURREY & COMPANY** is sure to be a conversation starter. *curreyandcompany.com*

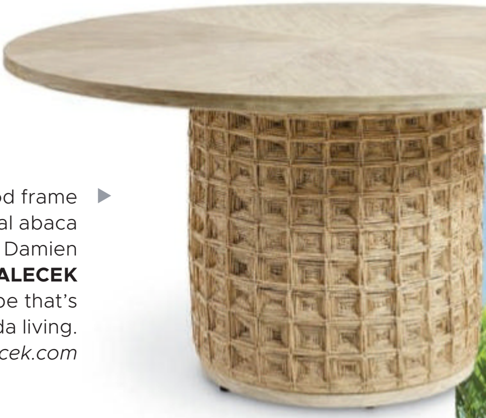


The buds on the branches of the Amethyst mirror by **JOHN-RICHARD** remind us of the early blooms of the spring season. *johnrichard.com*

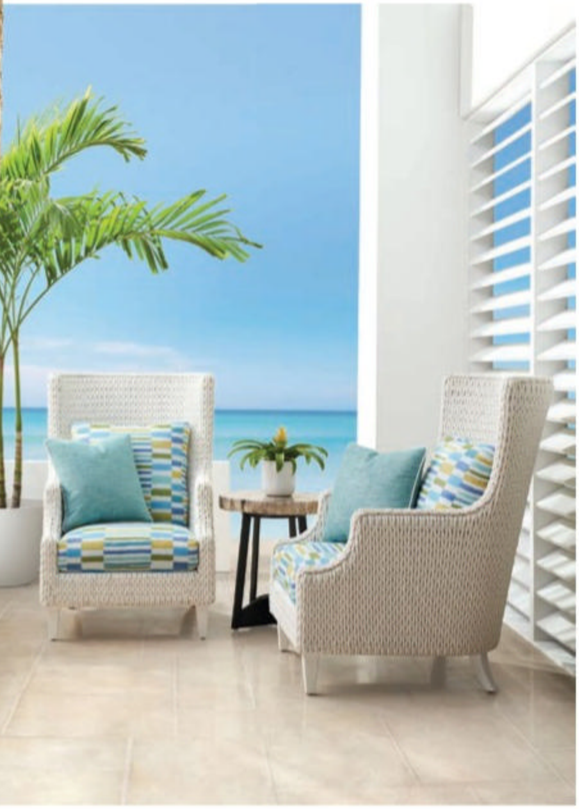


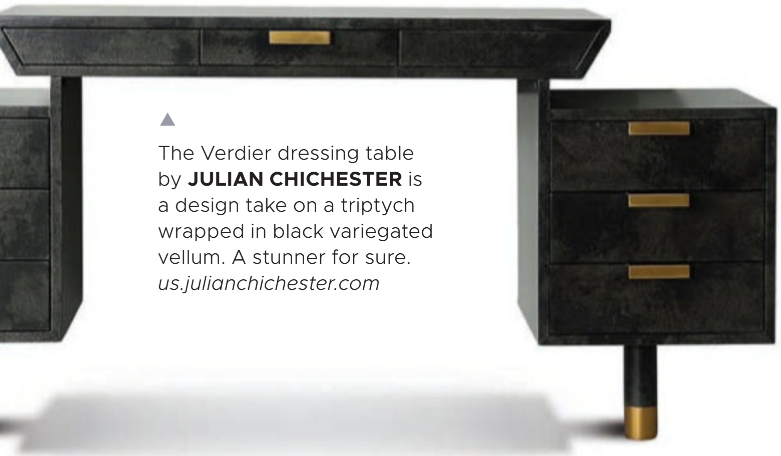
The remarkable Mirage cabinet by **KENNETH COBONPUE** is inspired by the illusion of heat appearing to ripple off objects, a visual trick that continues to enchant us. *kennethcobonpue.com*

The Ocean Breeze Promenade collection by Tommy Bahama for **LEXINGTON** features pieces that offer seamless continuity from indoor to outdoor spaces. *lexington.com*



A hardwood frame wrapped in natural abaca rope gives the Damien dining table by **PALECEK** an organic vibe that's ideal for Florida living. *palecek.com*





The Verdier dressing table by **JULIAN CHICHESTER** is a design take on a triptych wrapped in black variegated vellum. A stunner for sure. *us.julianchichester.com*

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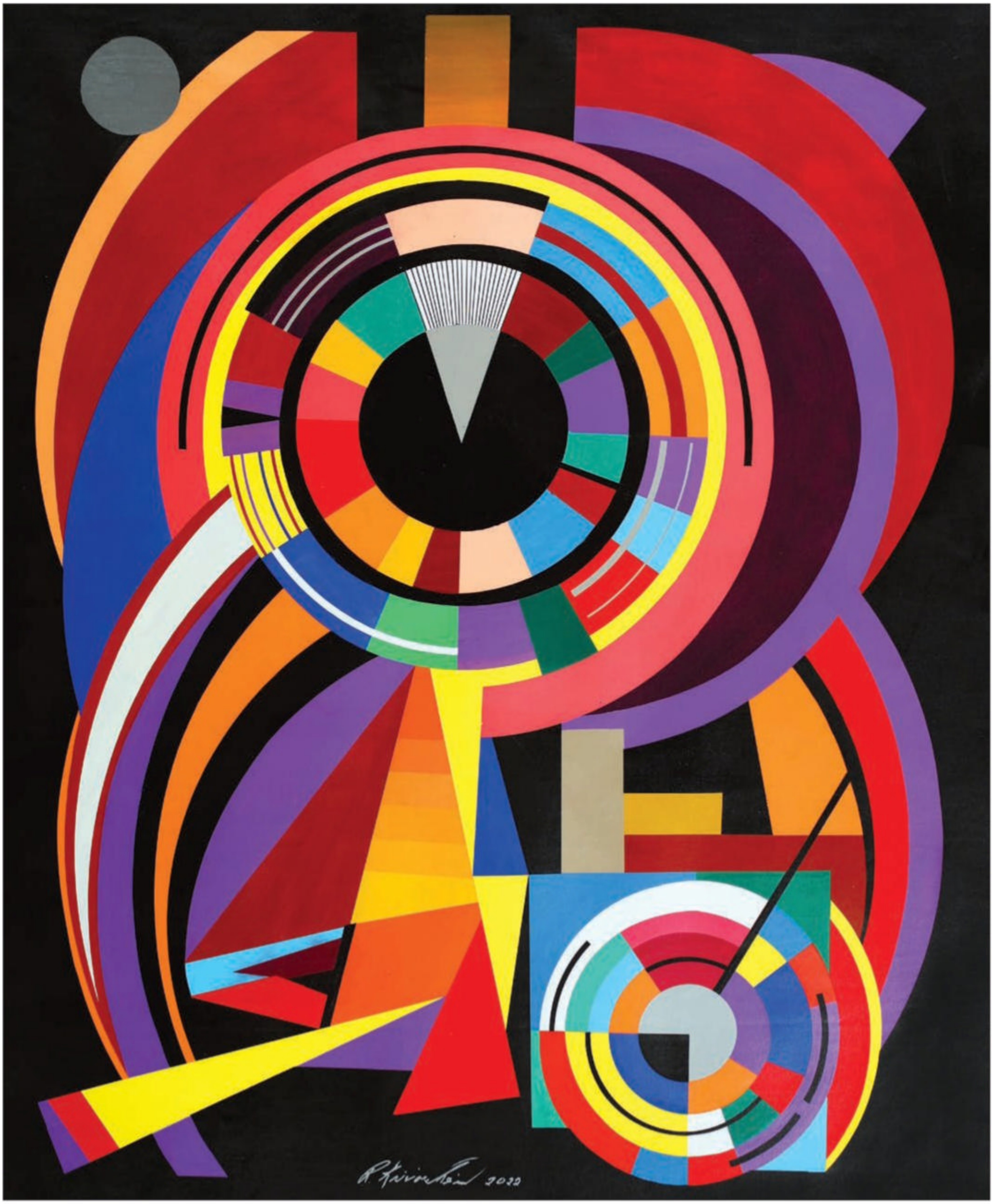

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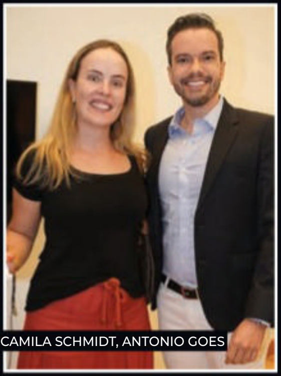
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Art Week in Miami was a busy time of creative excess and one of the signature events of last year's gathering was the Maris Raffa Art Experience at the New World Center in Miami Beach. The evening married art and design with a speaker lineup that included Joel Jota and David Grutman, as well as a stunning art exhibit by Caio Carneiro.

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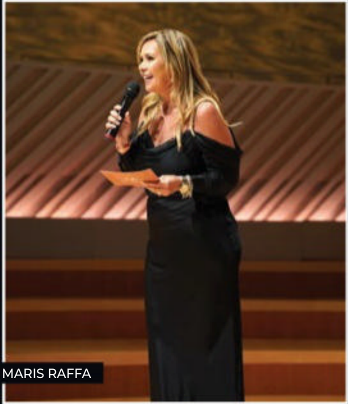
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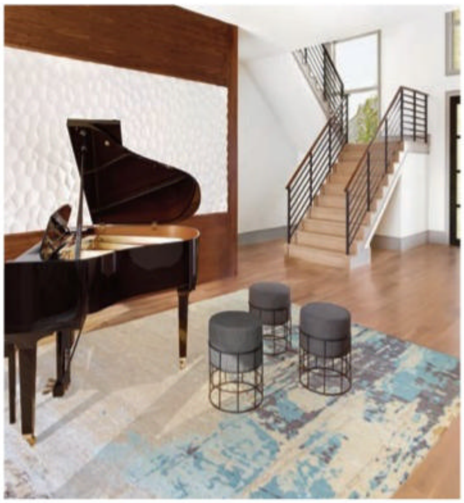
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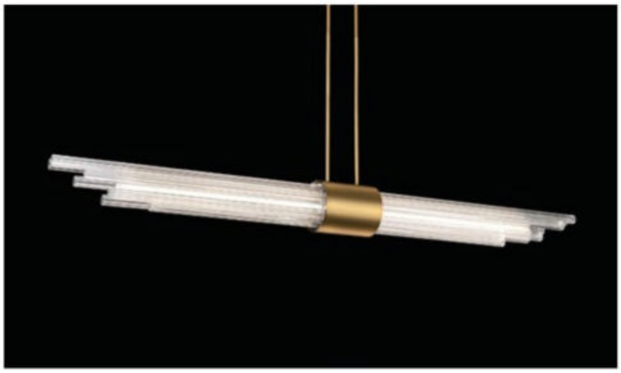

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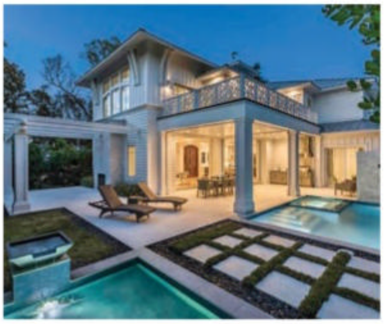

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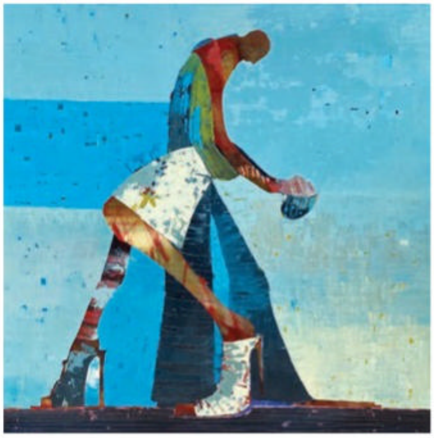

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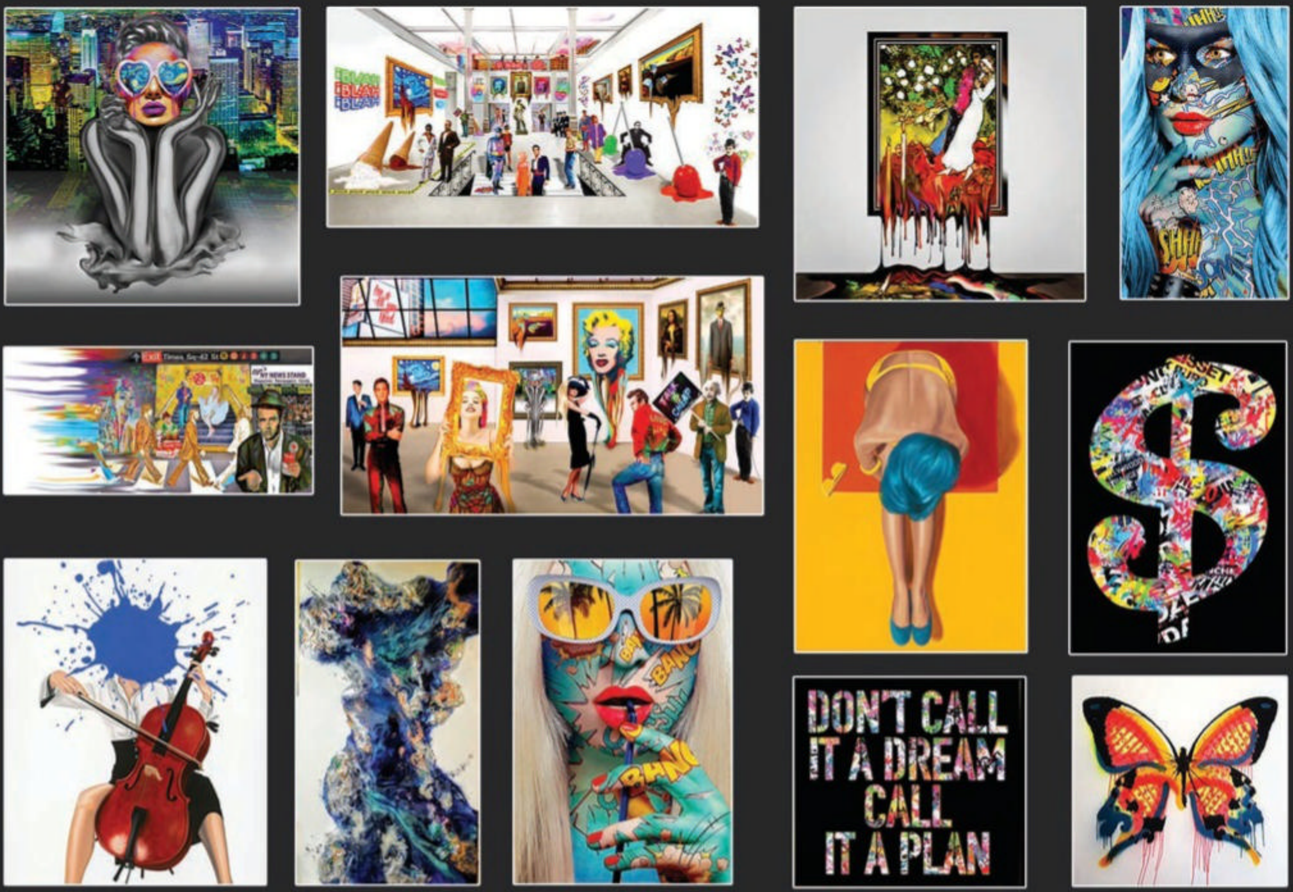

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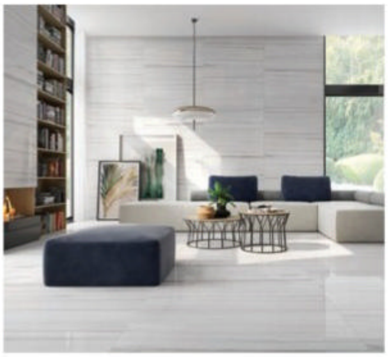

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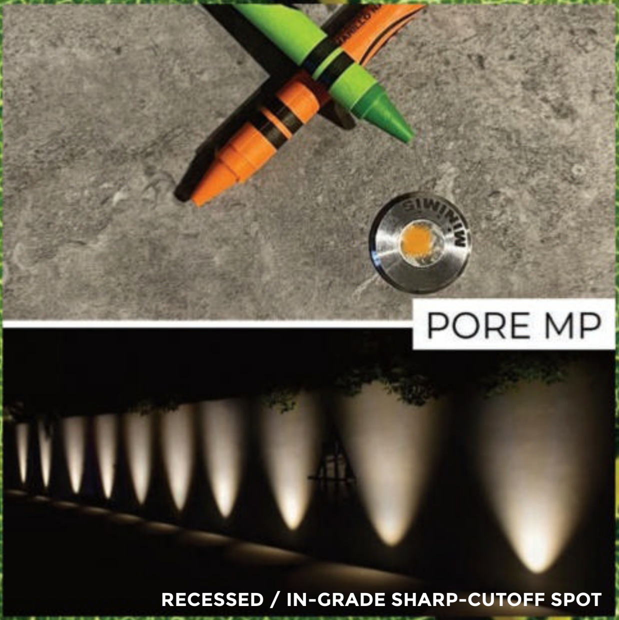
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18-21 **Coverings**, Orange County Convention Center, Orlando, FL, *coverings.com*

18-23 **Salone del Mobile.Milano** Fiera, Milan, Italy, *salonemilano.it/en*

22-26 **High Point Spring Market**, High Point, NC, *highpointmarket.org*

25-May 7 **Boston Design Week**, Boston, MA, *bostondesignweek.com*

MAY 2023

2-4 **HD Expo + Conference**, Mandalay Bay, Las Vegas, NV, *hdexpo.hospitalitydesign.com*

9-10 **Surtex,** Surface Design & Textile Market, Metroplitan Pavilion, Chelsea, NY, surtex*.com*

12-16 **The European Fine Art Foundation, (TEFAF New York)**, Park Avenue Armory, New York, NY, *tefaf.com*

17-21 **Frieze New York**, The Shed, New York, NY, *frieze.com*

18-25 **NYCxDESIGN**, New York, NY, *nycxdesign.org*

21-23 **International Contemporary Furniture Fair (ICFF)**, Jacob K. Javits Convention Center, New York, NY, *icff.com*

JUNE 2023

4-7 **IMM Cologne**, Cologne, Germany, *imm-cologne.com*

12-14 **NeoCon**, Merchandise Mart Plaza, Chicago, IL, *neocon.com*

15-18 **Art Basel**, Messe Basel, Switzerland, *artbasel.com/basel*

21-24 **Lightovation**, Dallas International Lighting Show, Dallas, TX, *dallasmarketcenter.com*

22-25 **LA Design Festival**, Design for the People, Los Angeles, CA, *ladesignfestival.org*

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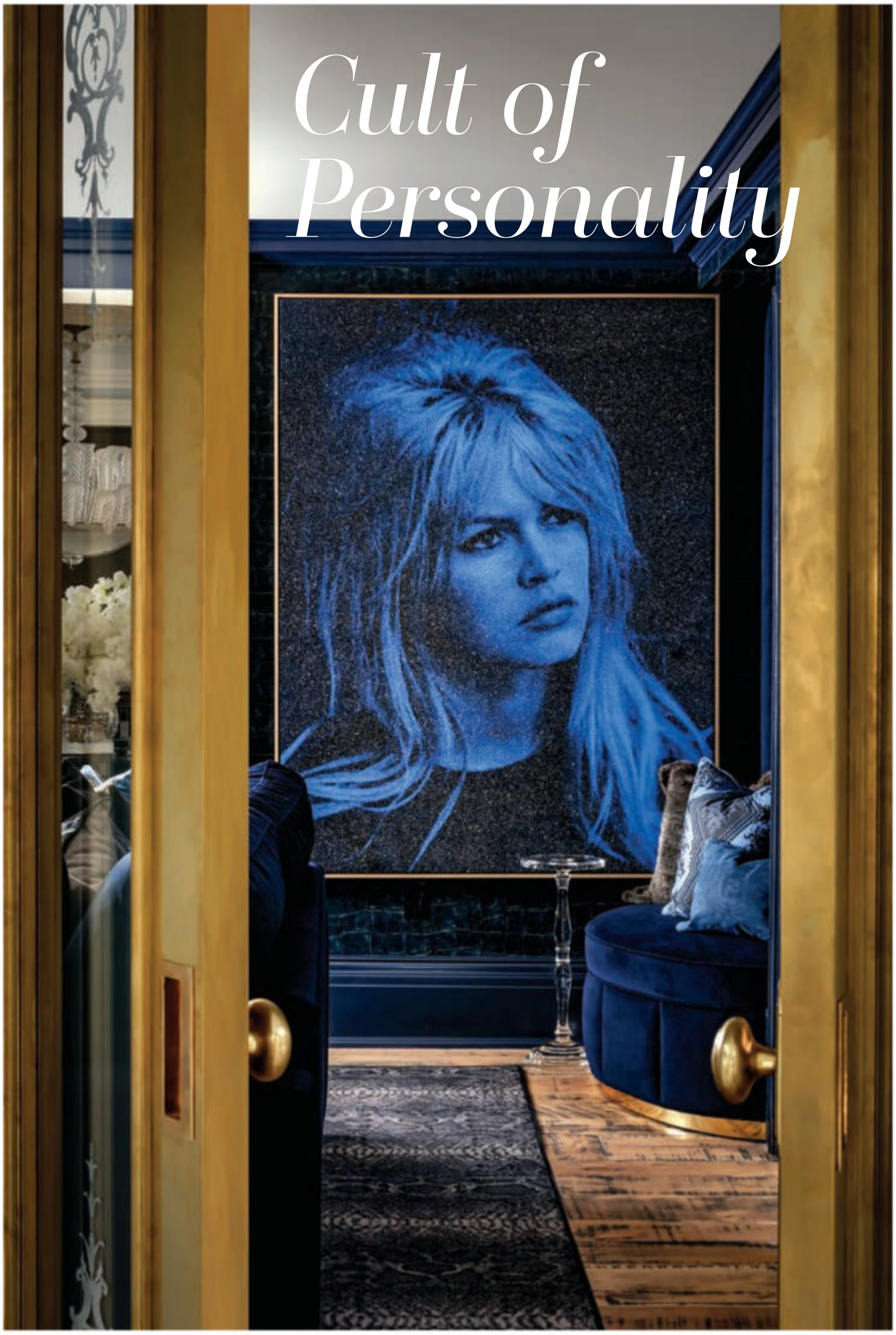

THE DESIGNER: With offices in Palm Beach and Toronto, Canada, Lori Morris is a no-rules creative whose forward-thinking design approach can be seen in residences and commercial spaces all around the world.

THE OBJECT: *Bardot-Riviera Blue* (hand-pulled acrylic, enamel screen print, and diamond dust on linen) is a 2022 artwork by Russell Young featuring French star Brigitte Bardot in her prime. Like much of Russell's work, the screen print speaks to the allure of celebrity and the way the public worships its cultural icons.

IN HER WORDS: "I love the excitement that pop art can bring to a space," says Morris. "Russell Young presents fabulous imagery in this genre in stunning color and dripping with sex appeal. This Bardot image is the ultimate statement of interest." *lorimorris.com; russellyoung.com; maddoxgallery.com*

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